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FOUR DROWNED FROM SMALL BOATS IN RIVER NEAR NEW KENSINGTON

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A very successful and artistic production of "As You Like It" was given yesterday afternoon on the campus by this year's graduating class of the Pennsylvania College for Women.—Page 10.

The wedding of Miss Marie Agnes Mathieu of North Highland avenue and Edward A. Richter was held yesterday in SS. Peter and Paul's church, Larimer avenue, East End.—Page 10.

Prominent among the many weddings today will be that of Miss Lucy Haskell Christy and Frank Scott Willock in Sewickley this afternoon.—Page 10.

The Woman's club of Wilkinsburg yesterday observed President's Day. The club is pleased over the success of its agitation for public drinking fountains in the borough.—Page 10.

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FINANCIAL.

Local stock market dull and irregular. In Wall street the market closed weak and almost demoralized. Chicago grain markets closed firm.—Pages 13 and 14.

THE WEATHER

Showers are again predicted for this section today and tomorrow by the Washington weather man. His forecast for rain was made good only in spots yesterday. Yesterday's maximum temperature was 85. The sun rose clear at 4:28 and set cloudy at 7:30 o'clock yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Showers.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind	Weather.
8 a. m....	29.61	71	76	W.	Clear.
8 p. m....	29.92	74	62	S.	Pt. Cldy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for June 9:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum ...	79	74	Mean	70	62
Minimum ...	60	49	Precipitation	0	0

Max. tem. 3:10 p. m. 85 Ex. since Jan'y 1.. 494
Min. tem., 5 a. m. 60 Nor. prec., 31 years .11
Mean temp..... 76 Precip. for the day. .0
Nor. temp., 31 yrs 70 Defic. for the day. .11
Excess for day.. 6 Defic. since June 1. .28
Defic. since June 1 4 Ex. since Jan'y 1.. .02

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Showers and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair; light to fresh southwest to northwest winds.

Ohio—Partly cloudy and cooler Wednesday; probably showers, except fair in northwest portion; Thursday light to fresh winds in the west.

West Virginia—Partly cloudy and cooler Wednesday; probably showers; Thursday fair.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Columbus ...	70 Cloudy	Washington ...	78 Clear
Cairo	76 Clear	Kansas City..	72 Clear
Chicago	80 Pt. Cldy	New Orleans	78 Cloudy
Omaha	64 Clear	Philadelphia	78 Cloudy
St. Louis...	82 Clear	Pittsburgh ...	44 Cloudy
Louisville ..	80 Clear	St. Paul.....	64 Cloudy
Memphis	72 Cloudy	Helena	66 Clear
Des Moines..	64 Clear	Bismarck	66 Rain
New York...	70 Clear	Salt Lake City.	68 Cloudy
Buffalo	68 Clear	Denver	46 Rain

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—New stock opera company in "Wang," 8:15 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Concerts, afternoon and evening, by Rodero's band, steeplechase, dancing and other attractions.

OAKWOOD PARK—Princess Chinquilla and free vaudeville all this week.

SOUTHERN PARK—Ansell troupe and free vaudeville in "Wang," 8:15 p. m.

U. S. ARSENAL GROUNDS—Building Trades Carnival, 40 shows and one mile of sights.

EXPOSITION PARK—Pittsburgh vs. Philadelphia, 3:30 p. m.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Sailed June 9.

New York—Ethiopia from Glasgow; Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse from Bremen; Koenigin Luise from Bremen.

Plymouth—Pennsylvania from New York.

Hamburg—Belgravia from New York.

Liverpool—Arabia from New York.

Antwerp—Vaderland from New York.

Yokohama—Empress of India from Vancouver.

Arrived June 9.

New York—Citta di Milano for Naples; Kronprinz Wilhelm for Bremen; Moltke for Hamburg; Carpathia for Liverpool.

Liverpool—Arabia for New York; Ultonia for Boston.

Queenstown—Oceanic for New York.

Three Boys and One Man Met Death by Treacherous Current.

ONE BODY IS FOUND

Frightened Youths Jumped from Their Frail Craft and Sank.

STRUGGLE IN THE WATER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

New Kensington, Pa., June 9.—Four persons were drowned in the Allegheny river a short distance below here this evening.

THE DEAD.

ALBERT LUSK, 30 years old.
AUGUSTUS FRANK, nine years old.
JOSEPH FRANK, seven years old.
GEORGE ADAMS, nine years old.

Shortly before 6 o'clock the three boys got into a boat below the Ninth street bridge and started to float down the river. With them were four other youths about the same age. After floating for half a mile the current became swifter and the boys were unable to control the boat.

The three boys who were drowned became frightened and jumped into the water. In a moment they sank from the sight of their horrified and fear-stricken companions. The four boys in the boat clung to the sides of the craft and by their cries attracted the attention of a party of campers a short distance below where the boys went down. The camping party hastily sent a detail out in two boats and rescued the four lads who had not jumped overboard.

As soon as the news of the drowning spread the river was covered with men in boats dragging for the victims. Lusk and a companion, Albert Heck, were among the most active in the search for the dead. Suddenly their grappling iron caught on some obstruction embedded in the river. In an instant the frail skiff was overturned and both men were struggling in the swift current. Lusk sank almost immediately and when going down caught Heck by one foot. A fearful struggle for life took place.

Both men were handicapped by their heavy clothes and for a time it seemed that both would be drowned. Heck tried to save his companion, but his efforts were unavailing. Just as Heck was sinking for the third time he was rescued by the occupants of another boat and dragged to the shore. There he was resuscitated.

The scene of the drowning was in one of the worst parts of the Allegheny river, as here it is full of sand holes, and is divided by an island that makes the current very swift. Before the dozen or more boats within 100 yards of the second accident could get to the place, the body of Lusk was hurled away. When Lusk went down there were probably 1,000 people on the shore.

Albert Lusk was one of the best known young men in New Kensington. He was a foreman in the plant of the Pittsburgh Reduction Company and a member of several secret societies. He is survived by his widow and two small children. He had never learned to swim, and when about to enter the boat to go out on the river in search of the bodies of the boys, he was urged not to do so. He replied that the work of finding the bodies was more urgent than precaution for his own safety.

Augustus and George Frank were brothers, and were sons of Charles Frank, an employe of the New Kensington Brewing Company. Adams was a son of Philip Adams, an employe of the Pittsburgh works of the American Tin Plate Company here.

Tonight the river is being dragged for miles. Large bonfires are burning upon the banks and hundreds of men are bending every energy to recover the bodies. Several expert divers have been kept constantly at work. Huge charges of dynamite are being exploded. Patrols have been posted all along the river as far south as the government dam at Barking, where it is thought the bodies will lodge.

Mrs. Lusk, wife of the eldest victim, was completely prostrated by the news of her husband's death and physicians are constantly in attendance. A report has been received from Springdale, four miles below here, that the body of Joseph Frank was washed up against the dam at that place and was removed from the river.

WORLD'S FAIR THREATENED WITH EXTENSIVE STRIKE

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—(Special.)—A big strike is coming at the World's fair grounds. The Building Trades council today notified the management that 5,000 men would strike September 1, unless wages are increased from $4 to $5 a day. The workmen propose to ignore their contract to work until 1905 at the present rate. Two hundred electricians were discharged today.

PACIFIC SQUADRON TO CRUISE TO THE ALEUTIANS

WASHINGTON, June 9.—To test the cruising efficiency of the ships and familiarize our officers with northern Pacific waters, the Pacific squadron will leave San Francisco late in June on a trip to the Aleutian Islands. The squadron will stop at Dutch Harbor, where a coal depot of 5,000 tons' capacity is to be located. This will be the first time an American fleet of this size has visited the Aleutian Islands.

Pittsburghers Are Interested.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., June 9.—(Special.)—An injunction was granted this afternoon restraining the United States Water Company from turning off water to customers who have not signed the new book of rules. The plant is owned by Pittsburgh capital. A big legal fight is on.

GIRLS KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Electrical Storm Causes Two Deaths in an Academy.

FOUR SEVERELY HURT

Teacher and Students Are the Victims of Elements in Recitation Room.

HURLED FROM BLACKBOARD

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Brookville, Pa., June 9.—A terrible thunder storm broke over this county this afternoon, which resulted in two deaths and the injury of four persons.

The dead:

LULU MULLEN, aged 18, daughter of Melville Mullen.

BESSIE KELSO, aged 15, daughter of G. W. Kelso.

Injured:

PROF. C. D. CARRIER, badly burned and stunned.

CARRIE CUMMING, shocked and burned; condition serious.

KITTY MCKINLEY, stunned.

ANNIE MAGILL, burned and badly stunned.

While the Corsica academy was in session at Corsica, seven miles from here, the storm broke in its fury. The students gathered in a frightened group in the big recitation room and some of the children cried out in fright as the storm raged. A terrific bolt of lightning struck the belfry, and descending through the ceiling, ran along the blackboard at which some of the more courageous were still at work, hurling them to the floor.

The two dead girls had all their clothing burned. No serious damage was done in the village, although the rain fell heavily for some time. The girls who lost their lives were daughters of prominent citizens.

NEW CASTLE, PA., June 9.—(Special)—The home of Alexander Sankey of Emory street was struck by lightning last night during another severe storm that did great damage here. Mrs. Sankey was seated on the veranda, and was badly stunned.

WOOSTER, O., June 9.—John Winkler, John Shook, S. E. Rebum and Clark Fisher were killed by lightning this afternoon near Sterling, Wayne county. The men were carrying a heavy timber on their shoulders when lightning struck the beam and tore it to splinters, killing the four men instantly.

FREE WEDDING TRIP.

F. A. Vanderlip and Bride Benefit by Wager Made 10 Years Ago With E. W. Harden.

NEW YORK, June 9.—(Special.)—Among the out-bound passengers on the Kronprinz Wilhelm today were Frank A. Vanderlip, vice president of the National City bank, and his bride, who will spend their honeymoon in Europe at the expense of E. W. Harden. To fulfill the terms of an agreement made 10 years ago it will cost Mr. Harden almost $2,500.

The two men have been friends for many years and once, in a spirit of fun, agreed that the first to marry should have the expenses of his wedding trip paid by the other. The agreement was renewed from time to time, until Mr. Vanderlip lately announced his engagement to Miss Narcissa Cox of Chicago. Mr. Harden was a close second, for he soon told his friends that he was engaged to Mr. Vanderlip's sister. There was some dispute as to which young woman first answered the important question, but Mr. Harden admitted that it was up to him to pay.

KILLED IN HONDURAS.

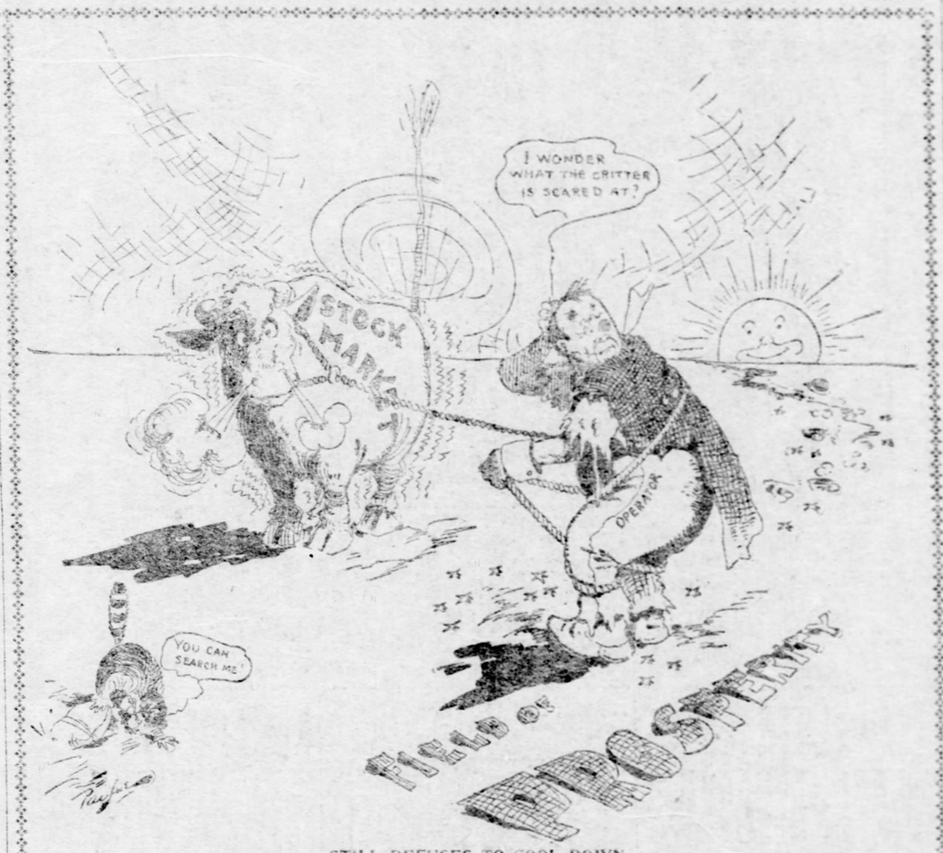
Prominent Young Graduate of Philadelphia College Meets Untimely End.

NEW ORLEANS, June 9.—(Special.)—Dr. A. Ferrars, believed to be a naturalized American citizen, was murdered by soldiers in Honduras recently and the officer who ordered the murder is locally regarded as a sort of a hero. The news was brought to this city by Albert Rose, who knew the young physician well. Ferrars had just graduated at a Philadelphia medical college, where he studied six years and was on his way to Tegucigalpa to visit his parents.

While waiting at Puerto Cortez for transportation, he went with his cousin, the chief of police of the town, to a dance. The chief became involved in a fight with which Ferrars had nothing to do. After the row they met a squad of soldiers who were ordered to fire on them. At the first volley the chief and the other man dropped to the ground, but Ferrars stood erect. This was an invitation for another volley and the young physician was pierced through the brain.

THREE HUNDRED NATIVES KILLED BY THE FRENCH

BENI-OUNIF, ALGERIA, June 9.—During the day envoys from seven villages around Figuig came to make their submission, offering to accept any terms. Gen. O'Connor refused to receive them, saying he would only treat with the ameer. The natives report that 300 were killed and many wounded as a result of the bombardment yesterday of the Zenaga village.



STILL REFUSES TO COOL DOWN.

THREE MEN KILLED BY COLLISION

Others Are Also Injured by Runaway Freight Train.

A TERRIFIC CRASH

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Altoona, Pa., June 9.—Control of a southbound heavily loaded freight train was lost on its descent of the Alleghany mountains on the Tyrone division of the Pennsylvania railroad when going at a high rate of speed at Powelton station, three miles east of Philipsburg, this afternoon. It crashed with fearful velocity into a local freight train. Three men were killed and three seriously injured.

THE DEAD.

JACOB BOLGER, engineer, Tyrone.
ANDREW FRIDAY, brakeman, Tyrone.
ROBERT WILSON, brakeman, Curwensville.

THE INJURED.

OELIG BURLEY, engineer.
EARL WAITE, fireman.
HARRY EDWARDS, brakeman.

The three latter are all residents of Tyrone. The runaway train had three engines, but the two leading engines had been cut loose and the pushing engine was unable to hold the heavy train. Every effort of the crew to retard the speed of the train in its wild dash was to no avail.

When the local freight was overtaken there came a terrific crash and a dozen or more cars were smashed to splinters. In one of the cars of the local freight were 25 mules. Most of them were killed, while a few escaped with severe injuries. Their shrieks could be plainly heard above the noise of the wreck. The accident occurred on a sharp curve during a severe rain storm and the local freight crew had no opportunity of seeing the approaching runaway.

FOURTEEN WERE HURT IN RAILROAD WRECK

Train Leaves Tracks at 60 Foot Embankment—Fireman Dies from Injuries

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

LOUISVILLE, KY., June 9.—A passenger train on the Louisville & Nashville railroad was wrecked on Muldraughs hill, 32 miles south of Louisville, this afternoon. John Keller of Louisville, the fireman, was so badly scalded that he died tonight. Thirteen others were injured.

The train had just passed through a tunnel and was rounding a sharp curve when the engine careened and rolled to the bottom of a 60-foot hill, burying the engineer and fireman. The mail car, a combination baggage and express followed, but were stopped by a large tree. The smoker, a day coach, a Pullman and a dining car also left the track, but remained on the roadbed.

President Milton H. Smith of the Louisville & Nashville was on board, but was uninjured.

GALUSHA A. GROW IS WELCOMED HOME

SCRANTON, PA., June 9.—All Susquehanna county assembled at Montrose today to participate in the "welcome home" to the Hon. Galusha A. Grow, the "sage of Glenwood," who is now in his 91st year retiring to private life after half a century of public service. There was a parade and speechmaking at the fair grounds. Letters of greeting were read from President Roosevelt, Secretary Hay and many other dignitaries.

Gov. Bailey Married.

KANSAS CITY, MO., June 9.—Willis J. Bailey, governor of Kansas, and Mrs. Ida B. Weede, were married in the First Congregational church in this city this evening. Immediately after the ceremony Gov. and Mrs. Bailey left for Topeka.

PITTSBURGHERS TAKE DEGREES AT PRINCETON

Alexander Speer Captured Third Honors in the Course of Civil Engineering.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PRINCETON, N. J., June 9.—As a part of the Princeton class-day exercises today the alumni members of the honorary Phi Beta Kappa society held a meeting and elected new members from the senior class. Sixteen men were elected. They are: William Allan Sipe, Pittsburgh; Frank Smith, Fricks, Pa.; Samuel Alexander Ander, Kulpsville, Pa.; Gilbert Fairchild Close, Dunmore, Pa.; Harry Christian Schwelkert, Reading, Pa.

All these men have stood among the highest in their class during their four years at college. Announcement was made today of the students who graduated with honors. Pennsylvania names are very conspicuous among those who appear on the honor roll. Those from the Keystone state who receive their B. A. degrees cum laude are: Walter Arnot Wilson, James Robert Miller, William Allan Sipe of Pittsburgh; Walter Frank Hollenbach, Dunham; Robert Erskine Rearick, Chambersburg; George Carlton Shafer, Montrose; Harry Calver Weaver, Bellefonte; Charles K. Imbrie, Bryn Mawr; Morris Miller Hillepeitel, Green Lane; Robert B. Reed, Clearfield; Leroy Landis Daniel, Harrisburg.

In the course of civil engineering Alexander Speer, Pittsburgh, obtained third honors. In the school of science Thomas Arthur Rutherford of Carbondale, Pa., was graduated with second honors.

PRESIDENT CHEERED EN ROUTE TO CLEVELAND

Large Crowd Meets the Train at Harrisburg and Other Pennsylvania Stations.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALTOONA, June 9.—President Roosevelt's train arrived here at 11:30 tonight. On account of the lateness of the hour only a small crowd gathered at the station. None of the party made an appearance. The train stopped only long enough to change locomotives.

HARRISBURG, June 9.—The president's train arrived at Harrisburg at 7:40 and stopped five minutes. The president was seated in the rear of the last coach reading a book. A small crowd quickly gathered on the outside and applauded. Mr. Roosevelt laid down his book and walked out on the platform. "Good evening, ladies and gentlemen," he said. "I am glad to be with you once again. It is a great pleasure, I assure you." The president then left the car and shook hands with the crowd. After the president had shaken hands with about 50 persons the signal was given to start the train.

OFF FOR CLEVELAND.

President Roosevelt and Party Leave Washington to Attend Hanna-McCormick Wedding.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—(Special.)—The special train bearing President Roosevelt and party left this afternoon at 3 o'clock for Cleveland, where they will attend the wedding of Miss Ruth Hanna and Mr. Joseph M. McCormick at noon tomorrow.

With the president were Miss Alice Roosevelt, Capt. Cowles of the navy, Secretary Loeb and Dr. Grunwell of the navy.

Mrs. Roosevelt, who had intended to accompany the president, this morning decided to remain at the White House. The president's train is due in Pittsburgh at about 1 o'clock. The return trip to Washington will begin at 11 o'clock tomorrow night.

Among the other distinguished persons from Washington, who will attend the wedding, are Postmaster General Payne, who went to Cleveland yesterday, and Senator and Mrs. Foraker, who left this afternoon. I. W. STRAYER.

Killed Wife After 40 Years Peace.

CHICAGO, June 9.—(Special.)—At the close of the fortieth year of their wedded life Mr. and Mrs. Paulk quarrelled today and the husband stabbed and killed his wife. A son witnessed the tragedy, which grew out of the husband's jealousy, he charging his wife with flirting with a neighbor many years her junior.

JURY NOW READY FOR THE TRIAL

Special Veniremen Accepted to Try Accused for Marcum's Murder.

SHERIFF WASHELDUP

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Jackson, Ky., June 9.—The jury to try Curtis Jett and Tom White, charged with the shooting of J. B. Marcum, was completed tonight. The indications are that the taking of testimony will be commenced before noon. The jury are all Magoffin county farmers. A detail of soldiers joined the sheriff in attendance upon the jury.

The extra veniremen did not arrive from Magoffin county until this afternoon. They were secured after strenuous efforts on the part of the sheriff, who rode all night through the hills. Shortly before midnight he was held up in a wild portion of the country, a man springing from behind a tree and seizing his bridle. Jones fired full in the party's face. He said the man reeled and made off through the bushes.

Among the affidavits filed this afternoon was one by S. H. C. Hurst, in which he alleged that money was offered men in Magoffin county if they could get to be veniremen. Hurst alleges that S. H. G. Arnett told one man that he could get $100 and another $140 if they could secure members.

The names of all veniremen were written on slips of paper placed in a box, shaken, and the slips were then drawn, one at a time, by the judge. Ninety per cent had not read newspaper accounts of the killing of Marcum, and a rigid examination was directed as to their kinship and relations with people in Breathitt county.

LOWEST BIDDERS WIN.

Navy Department Awards Contracts for Three 16,000-Ton Battleships to Eastern Firms.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Secretary Moody today announced acceptance of the lowest bids for the three new 16,000-ton battleships and the awards have been made.

Minnesota—Newport News Shipbuilding Company, Newport News, Va., $4,110,000; Kansas—New York Shipbuilding Company, Camden, N. J., $4,179,000; Vermont—Fore River Manufacturing Company, Weimouth, Mass., $4,167,000.

Secretary Moody has ruled that portable equipment is not to be included in the limit of cost fixed by congress which was $4,212,000 for each ship.

PENNSYLVANIA GIRLS AT LASELLE SEMINARY

BOSTON, June 9.—(Special.)—At the Laselle young ladies' seminary this afternoon a number of Pennsylvania students were awarded diplomas, among them Miss Ida M. Mallory, Franklin, who read an essay on "Peasant Life in France." Agnes M. Biddle, Fountain Springs, whose thesis was entitled "The American Girl;" Mary C. Erdman, "The Attic Age of Greece," and Miss Edith Solomon, who was certificated in cooking. Miss Mallory also received a diploma in this course.

CARNEGIE ASSESSED ON FIVE MILLIONS

NEW YORK, June 9.—(Special)—Experts in the tax department have tabulated the personal assessments and at the head stands Andrew Carnegie. He is assessed on $5,000,000 personal property. The next highest is Russell Sage, at $2,400,000. Under the Tammany assessment Andrew Carnegie paid tax on only $50,000 personal property, but this was raised some time ago. The ironmaster was not the only one who suffered almost a corresponding increase. It is estimated that for the entire city the sum total will show an advance of $50,000,000.

ONE SHOT GAVE LYON FREEDOM

It Was Indiana Murderer's Answer to Sheriff's Demand to Surrender.

ENDED LIFE IN A WOOD

Boldly Tried to Visit His Father's Home With One Hundred Men on His Trail.

WANTED TO SEE HIS SISTERS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Logootee, Ind., June 9.—Arthur Lyon, the man who so cruelly murdered his stepmother last Thursday night, killed himself this afternoon at 4 o'clock in a woods 10 miles northeast of this city. All yesterday and today Sheriff Holzapple and a posse of 100 men have pursued him from one hollow to another, but each time he escaped from the traps they had laid.

In his daring he went from one farm house to another and calling out the residents told them stories of what he would do before he would permit himself to be given up. Today at noon he went to the residence of Dan Brock and told the farmer he had killed his stepmother because she had persuaded his father to disinherit him. In his talks with the residents he was always ahead of the searchers and was fully armed.

His two sisters came home from St. Louis, this morning and hearing of this he attempted to go to the home of his father to see them. To do this he had to cross a small cleared place and a farmer saw him. He sent word to the posse and they soon located the fugitive in a large hillside field of trees and dense undergrowth near his father's house.

The men surrounded the tract. All were armed with shot guns and revolvers. The leader called for a surrender and instantly a dozen pistols gleamed in the sunlight. A moment later a shot rang out and the lifeless body of the young man was stretched under the bushes. The bullet had pierced the left nipple and entered the heart.

Lyon was badly emaciated and had not tasted food for five days.

BURTON GETTING IDEAS.

Congressman in Paris Comparing Conditions of French and American Rivers.

PARIS, June 9.—Congressman Theodore E. Burton, chairman of the river and harbor committee of the house of representatives, had an extended conference today with the minister of public works, M. Marunjouls, comparing the French and American systems of administering river and harbor work, which developed that there are several features in the French system which Mr. Burton regards as being practical for adoption by the United States.

Owing to the magnitude of the American river and harbor estimates, totaling $200,000,000, Mr. Burton says the French system requiring localities to contribute a share of the expenses of improvements is worthy of serious consideration. It will probably be a feature of the report to be made by Mr. Burton to congress and by Maj. Mahan of the engineers corps retired to the war department at Washington.

Another favorable feature of the French system is that work is never commenced until after the appropriation of money sufficient for its completion.

MRS. MILLER REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE HUSBAND

COLUMBUS, O., June 9.—(Special.)—During the progress of the trial today of Ivor Hughes, a prominent attorney, accused of using the mails for blackmailing purposes, Joseph P. Miller and his wife, Anna T. Miller, both of whom are serving sentences in the penitentiary for complicity in the offense charged against Hughes, appeared as witnesses. Their daughter greeted both her parents and did her best to cause them to speak to each other. The mother refused to recognize her husband.

VASSAR GIRLS HAVE CLASS DAY LIBERTIES

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 9.—(Special.)—The graduating class of Vassar college held their inning today when in the course of their class day exercises they sang original songs set to familiar tunes in which they hit up the faculty, launched grinds on the undergraduates and subjected alma mater to toasts and roasts. Elizabeth Bird Thompson of Pittsburgh, president of the class, made an address of welcome.

BIG OIL GUSHER IN NEW INDIANA FIELD

HARTFORD CITY, IND., June 9.—(Special.)—The Mayer Oil Company struck a well on the Widow Maddox farm in Blackford county today that is flowing at the rate of 60 barrels an hour or nearly 1,500 barrels a day. The well is in wild cat territory and undoubtedly the most prolific producer in the Indiana field.

COWBOY NO MATCH FOR WOMAN WITH REVOLVER

BUTTE, MONT., June 9.—Dick Stanifer, a cowboy, was shot and killed here today by Mrs. Leo Brown, who formerly was his wife. Stanifer, it is said, after twice knocking the woman down, drew his pistol. Mrs. Brown, however, was the quicker and her bullet sped true to its mark.

PAIR OF COWBOY SPURS FOR ARCHIE ROOSEVELT

DEADWOOD, S. D., June 9.—Capt. Seth Bullock of Deadwood has ordered as a present for Archie Roosevelt, third son of President Roosevelt, a handsome pair of cowboy spurs.

CONGRESS WILL USE THE PROBE

Scandal in Postoffice Department to Be Further Ventilated.

PENROSE CONFERRED

Pennsylvania Senator Will Take Prominent Part in the Projected Investigation.

FREE DELIVERY IS RETARDED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 9.

There is a belief in official circles that congress will take a hand in the postoffice department scandals when it meets next fall. Today Senator Penrose had a long talk with Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, who is in charge of the investigation. Mr. Penrose will likely be chairman of the senate committee on postoffices and post roads in the next congress, and it is believed he discussed with Mr. Bristow the likelihood of a congressional investigation into the administration of the entire postal service.

Ex-Representative Loud of California, who was chairman of the house postoffice committee in the last congress, is in Washington and has had frequent conferences with postoffice department officials. Several members of the house and senate have stated that a congressional inquiry will be necessary to ascertain how some of the miscellaneous and other appropriations have been expended.

First Assistant Postmaster General Wynne was acting postmaster general today in the absence of Postmaster General Payne. There are many rumors of impending dismissals and arrests. The proposed rural free delivery routes inspected and recommended for establishment under the Machen administration and held up following the discovery of the large deficit in the appropriation for free delivery services will be re-inspected before final action is taken.

The payment of $100 to Gen. William W. Dudley, of a local law firm, former commissioner of pensions, in connection with the location of a postal sub-station in the drug store of John W. Stone in this city has been investigated. Gen. Dudley acknowledged having been paid for his services, and says that it was a legitimate transaction.

FIRE AT PALM BEACH

"The Breakers" and Other Buildings Destroyed, Causing Loss of $700,000.

WEST PALM BEACH, FLA., June 9.—At 11:30 this morning The Breakers, the smaller of the two largest hotels at Palm Beach, was seen to be in flames. The hotel building, power house, Cory's block of stores, the casino south of the hotel and one of the large cottages north of the hotel were destroyed. Some furniture from the hotel was saved, but it was badly damaged.

The losses are: The Breakers, $600,000; furniture, $200,000. Casino, cottage and Cory block, about $25,000. Other losses about $5,000. The hotel was insured for $500,000, but the furniture was uninsured. The origin of the fire is unknown. No one was injured.

ROOSEVELT IS WONDERFUL.

Senator Lodge Pays Fine Tribute to the Chief Executive.

GREENFIELD, MASS., June 9.—(Special.)—Senator Lodge declares Mr. Roosevelt to be the most wonderful president of his time and sure of election.

"What is your opinion of President Roosevelt's chances in case that the trusts oppose his election?" he was asked.

"There is absolutely no doubt in my mind," he replied, "as to President Roosevelt's nomination and election. He certainly has given the country a splendid administration.

"I have seen many presidents in my time and numerous candidates, but President Roosevelt is the most wonderful of them all."

DREW THE COLOR LINE.

Student Refuses to Appear on Platform With His Colored Classmates.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 9.—(Special.)—George C. Wildhack of the class of the manual training high school did not appear with the 112 graduates at the commencement last night because he was placed to sit next to a negro graduate.

There were three colored girls and two colored boys in the graduating class. It was necessary for some of the white graduates to sit next to the colored members. None of the other graduates, however, made any objection. The color line has never been drawn at the school. Wildhack's diploma will not be withheld.

HARRY DAVIS JOINS VAUDEVILLE MANAGERS

NEW YORK, June 9.—(Special.)—Harry Davis of the Avenue theater, Pittsburgh, was elected a member of the Association of Vaudeville Managers at its meeting in the St. James building today. F. S. Chase of Washington, D. C., was elected president and J. H. Moore of Detroit vice president. It was the fourth annual meeting of the organization and there was a large attendance.

To End Sugar War.

COLUMBUS, O., June 9.—(Special.)—The Ohio Wholesale Grocers' association, after a long and stormy session tonight, finally agreed to use its good offices in the effort to persuade the warring sugar manufacturers to sell to all Ohio wholesalers at uniform prices. The members of the association further agreed among themselves to observe strict uniformity in their own sales. All promised to do no more rate-cutting either on sugar or coffee.

LABOR QUESTION INTRUDES ITSELF

Foundrymen's Association Hear Various Views at Milwaukee Meeting.

THE CARNEGIE TECH. SCHOOL

Dr. Richard Moldenke Says Foundrymen Must See That Their Craft Is Given Proper Representation in the Great Pittsburgh Institution.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
MILWAUKEE, June 9.—Despite the announcement of the American Foundrymen's association, now in session here, that the organization is not concerned with the labor problem, the most interesting feature at the opening meetings were the references to the relations between labor and capital, made by President Walker in his address, and later by Joseph Leon Gobelle of Cleveland, whose words were as radical as Mr. Walker's had been conservative.

"The labor problem will require our best thought and judgment for some time to come," said President Walker. "We cannot expect in this country to withhold permanently from our workmen a fair proportion of income from manufacturing enterprises, nor can we hope to crush labor unions, or by large defense funds to settle finally the economic questions involved. We shall come to understand in the future that a manufacturer should be willing to pay the highest wages that the state of his industry will permit."

"Progress in our work is one long fight," said Mr. Gobelle. "At every step we have to battle with the labor unions. We put girls and women into our varnishing department against the objections of the union. The women are twice as effective and 10 times as satisfied as the men were."

According to Dr. Richard Moldenke the question of interest to the public which will be settled at the convention is the attitude of the foundrymen toward the $8,000,000 technical school endowed by Andrew Carnegie, and which is to be erected in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Carnegie, as is well known, he said, has endowed a technical school in Pittsburgh with $6,000,000, and it is destined to become one of the greatest institutions in the world. One of the matters which will occupy considerable of our time is how the departments of this school are to be divided up. We wish to see that the foundry interests are not neglected."

Technical addresses given during the rest of the day included: "A Cupola Sag Conveyor," T. D. West, Sharpsville, Pa.; "Permanent Molds," J. A. Murphy, Erie Pa.; "Molding Machines," S. H. Stupakoff, Pittsburgh., William Yagle of Pittsburgh was made one of the nominating committee, but no suggestion has been made of the probable names which will be presented for action Thursday.

DANCING MASTERS SMOKE.

Exhibition of Fancy Steps—Election of Officers and Change of Name to Be Up Today

The second day of the tenth annual convention of the Normal School Association of Masters of Dancing, closed last night with a smoker, which included music and speeches. The women visited the Labor carnival. In addition to the regular program, three pupils of Prof. W. T. Kaserman of Cleveland, O., gave examples of fancy dancing. The dancers were the Misses Rae Bates, Elcie Bates and Hazel Helfich.

The convention will adjourn today. Election of officers for the ensuing year will take place this afternoon in the auditorium, South Highland avenue, at 4 o'clock. President A. Mark MacDonald of New York has served for two terms and will not run again. Two candidates are spoken of for the place, William F. Brain of Pittsburgh and P. D. Kelly of Holyoke, Mass. Mr. Brain will probably be elected. Mr. Brain is the present incumbent and the success of the present convention is due largely to him.

President MacDonald said last night that the name of the association would undoubtedly be changed this afternoon. The new name will probably be the International Association of Dancing Masters. The regular classes under N. H. Grant of Buffalo will continue during the week. The evening's entertainment arranged for tonight is a tour through the Carnegie works.

OPPOSED TO NEW TRACKS.

Bellevue Council Refers the Protest of Citizens to the Corporations Committee.

Bellevue borough last night referred unopened to the corporations committee the resolutions which were adopted some time ago at a meeting of citizens protesting against the passing by the council of an ordinance to grant to the Pittsburgh Railways Company the right to lay tracks over certain streets.

According to the ordinance, the tracks are to be laid in Orchard street from Thomas street to Rogers avenue, and on the latter from Lincoln to the borough line. There is considerable opposition both among the residents of the streets traversed and in the council against passing the ordinance in its present form. It was stated that if the measure passes it will do so only with many amendments.

There will be another meeting of the borough council next Tuesday, by which time it is probable the corporation committee will make its report.

LITTLE TRAVELER'S WOES.

Aunt Failed to Meet Her and the Police Got Her.

Lytha Clayborn, 14 years old, colored, of Knoxville, Tenn., was brought to the Central police station last night, to await the arrival of some relatives in Allegheny. The little girl was sent by her parents to this city over the Pennsylvania railroad, after having notified Mrs. Lizzie Butler, of No. 4007 Gusky avenue, Allegheny, that she would be sent here over the Baltimore & Ohio road, and it is supposed that that accounts for Mrs. Butler's failure to meet the girl.

The child was found by Edward Mofford of No. 1817 Bedford avenue and taken to the police station. She was turned over to Detective George W. Cole and when she saw the bells in the woman's department she became frightened and broke away from the officer, bounding down stairs into Sixth avenue. Detective Cole caught her and after considerable effort assured her she was not being arrested, but would be taken care of until her aunt arrived.

SCHOOL TAX LEVY IS FIXED FOR BRADDOCK

The Braddock borough school board last night organized and fixed the tax levy at eight mills. All the teachers were re-elected with the exception of Miss Louise Addenbrook, who obtained a leave of absence for one year owing to illness, and five others who will be married. Prof. John Norris was elected superintendent of public schools for the next three years at a salary of $2,100 a year. Prof. J. Edgar Little was elected principal of the high school.

Pope Says France Needs Prayers.

ROME, June 9. The pope today received 300 pilgrims who are returning to their homes from the holy land. They were mostly French. The pontiff urged the French pilgrims to "pray fervently for dear France, which needs it so much."

CHARGES PILE UP AGAINST PARKS

Several Contractors Swear That He Used His Position to Extort Money.

EVIDENCE AT THE HEARING

Former Superintendent of the Hecla Company Tells How Settlement of Strike Was Secured by the Payment of $2,000 Demanded by Defendant.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, June 9.

Startling evidence is being secured against Samuel Parks, the business agent of the Housesmiths' and Bridgemen's union, arrested yesterday for extortion. This afternoon two new warrants were sworn out against him for receiving money in settlement of a strike, while earlier in the day W. S. Devery went security for Parks in the sum of $5,000.

As soon as bail was secured Parks was released from the Tombs and this afternoon at 4 o'clock he appeared for a preliminary hearing. This was postponed. In the meantime District Attorney Jerome is quietly proceeding in his John Doe investigation. More than 100 contractors have been subpoened. The new warrants were issued on affidavits made by two small contractors. Both in substance said that for the settlement of a strike they each paid Parks $300.

At the trial this afternoon George D. Low, superintendent for the Hecla company in 1901, said that the firm was doing work on the custom house when he met Parks. A discussion followed as to the employment of non-union painters.

"The Hecla iron works is making lots of money," Mr. Low swore Parks said. "And I am going to help them spend it. Tell Mr. Jackson that I want a check for $1,000 tomorrow. Then you can employ any painters you want."

He said he saw Parks the following day and told him he had seen Mr. Jackson but that it was no use.

"Then I will strike your job," Mr. Low testified Parks declared to him.

Mr. Poulson was the next witness. He said Parks told him he thought matters could be arranged.

"I asked him why he had ordered a strike. He replied, 'I don't give a d——n for the union nor for the president, or the laws of the courts. I am Sam Parks. You can go to work when you pay me and not before.'"

Poulson then drew a check for $2,000 to the order of William H. McCord, with the understanding that McCord was to pay the money to Parks. Next day the strike was settled.

Parks is well known in Pittsburgh, having worked there as a riveter.

C. F. GRENEKER.

MANY MEETINGS HELD TO ADJUST LABOR TROUBLES

Dispute Between Bricklayers and Stone Masons Continues Despite Many Conferences.

The fight between the bricklayers and stone masons resulted in five meetings yesterday. The first was a conference between the executive committee of the National Stone Masons' international association and the Stone Contractors' association, at which the stone contractors agreed not to deliver any stone to buildings where the Bricklayers' and Masons' International union men are employed. This practically means that the stone contractors have decided in favor of the independent stone masons.

The Master Builders' association decided to stop all work on buildings until the trouble between the bricklayers and stone masons is settled.

A mass meeting of all the members of the Stone Masons' International union was held in the Arnfeld's hall, No. 1119 Penn avenue, at which it was unanimously agreed to continue the fight. The meeting endorsed the attempts of the executive committee, that as it was an international organization, independent of any other association, and as it was willing to work with any other union men. It was in the right to refuse to work for an organization, and that the B. M. I. U. is not justified in trying to break up the union.

The stone masons' local of the B. M. I. U. has its headquarters, No. 810 Wylie avenue. It was given out that 26 new members were initiated, and of this number 18 will be put to work this morning.

The fifth meeting was that of the delegates of various trade crafts, who met the second time to form a new structural trades council. All the structural trades were represented.

Tin Plate Conference Continued.

The committee of the Tin Plate Workers' Protective association and the officials of the American Tin Plate Company were unable yesterday to adjust the scale for next year. They met in conference in the Carnegie building. It was given out that few radical changes were asked for by the workmen. The delegates to the conference met last night to discuss matters pertaining to the scale. It is possible their work will be concluded at today's conference.

MISSED DEATH TWICE.

Italian Charged With Twice Trying to Kill His Foreman.

Salvatore Lafessa, an Italian coal miner of Bridgeville, accused of a persistent attempt to assassinate his foreman, Fredrick Morton, was committed to jail yesterday on the charge of felonious shooting.

Morton came to the theater in Pittsburgh on Monday night with two young women. As they were walking on the road on their return from town there was a flash and a report, and a bullet grazed Morton's neck. Morton took the young women home and returned to his boarding house. While he was standing in the middle of the room on the first floor a hand and a heavy revolver were thrust through the window pane and a loud report shook the room. Morton ran out of the house and met Constable P. L. McMillen. Both gave chase into the woods. Lafessa, on the road. He had a big revolver in his pocket. Justice of the Peace W. F. Russell sent him to jail in default of $500 bail.

Held Up By Highwaymen.

After being knocked down and robbed by two highwaymen shortly after 12 o'clock yesterday morning, George Flak, aged 50 years, living in Jacks Run, Allegheny, lay for almost six hours in a lonely place where he was placed by the thieves. Flak was held up by a negro and a white man at Verner station. He was hit on the head with a coupling pin and robbed of a check for $15 and $25 in cash.

Organizing Car Workers.

Joseph Rousse, organizer of the international Association of Car Workers, who has been in the city the past week, says that before the end of the week he will have locals established in all the car shops in Greater Pittsburgh. An open meeting will be held tonight at Pitcairn in Hogle's hall. This association is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Salvation Workers Named.

Miss Alice Maud Wood and Charles Arthur Stewart, both of whom are workers in the Allegheny Salvation army corps, were married in Allegheny Carnegie Music hall last night by Col. B. S. Holz of Cleveland, O. The wedding was performed in the presence of a large audience, the admission price being 10 cents.

Judge McKenna Slightly Improved.

Bernard McKenna, the ex-mayor and for many years police magistrate at Central police station, who has been seriously ill for about a week, was reported at his home, No. 6825 Marchand street, East End, last night, as slightly improved. Judge McKenna, however, is still critically ill.

CONFIRMATION CLASS OF OVER 1,200 PERSONS

Girls Leaving St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, McKeesport.

St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, McKeesport, yesterday marked an epoch in its history when a class of more than 1,200 men, women and children were confirmed by Coadjutor Bishop J. F. Regis Canevin of the Pittsburgh diocese with the assistance of Rev. Father C. A. McDermott, pastor; Rev. Father John Fallon, assistant pastor, and the following visiting priests: Father Bernard Hynes, Alpsville; Father Maurice McCarthy, Elizabeth; Father Thomas Walsh, Smithton; Father David Shanahan, Duquesne, and Father Thomas Rea, Glassport. The services occupied the whole day, the morning being devoted to the men and boys, while the afternoon was given up to the girls and women. The girls presented a beautiful sight in their spotless white dresses and veils, and the interior of the church was handsomely decorated with flowers.

BAER TESTIFIES ABOUT READING

Says the Coal Company Pays Same Freight Rates as Other Shippers.

$5 IS FAIR RETAIL PRICE

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, June 9.

George F. Baer, president of the Reading company, was put on the stand this morning to testify before the interstate commerce commission. Before he took the stand he said: "I thought I told them all I knew long ago." Commissioner Prouty said, immediately after Mr. Baer took the stand:

"Congress has provided, has it not, that the railroads shall return to the government a true report of the railroad's business, so it shall know where the money is spent?"

"I don't think we are required to keep our books as you direct," replied Mr. Baer.

"Several witnesses have testified that the price of coal might have been increased to $6 a ton. Do you think so?"

"Yes, I do."

"Do you think an increase of $1 a ton in New York would decrease the business?"

"Yes."

"Then it is to your interest to keep the price down?"

"Yes."

"Then, in your opinion, it is your duty to put such a price on coal as to justify a fair business?"

"Yes. I am trying to fix the standard so we will get a fair profit on our competitive business."

"What is a fair price so as to get a fair return?"

"I think the price we are now receiving is a fair price."

Mr. Baer declared that the Reading Coal & Iron Company pays the same freight rates to the Reading railroad that other shippers pay.

Mr. Baer declined to agree with the opinion given yesterday by ex-President Olyphant of the Delaware & Hudson, that recent troubles have increased the cost of the production of coal 30 cents a ton. He believed those figures too conservative. In his judgment the figure is nearer 40 cents.

The commission adjourned until Thursday. Tomorrow counsel are to argue before Judge Lacombe in the United States circuit court, as to the admissibility of the coal purchase contracts.

WOMAN DIES OF HEAT, ANOTHER IS PROSTRATED

While High Temperature Prevailed in Some Districts Heavy Rain Fell in Others.

While three sections in this vicinity were being cooled by a heavy downpour of rain, others suffered considerably from intense heat, which resulted in the death of one person and the prostration of another. Wherever other than normal conditions prevailed during the day it was in an intense degree.

THE DEAD.

ANNIE SUMMERLY, aged 49, died of cramps, brought on by drinking ice water while overheated at her home, Butler and Forty-ninth streets, during the afternoon.

THE PROSTRATED.

ANNIE SANDERS, aged 50, of No. 1 Shippen street, Pittsburgh, overcome last night while walking in Ohio street, Allegheny. She was taken to the Allegheny General hospital and will recover.

While rain was predicted in this section for yesterday by the weather man, it only fell in spots, and while the downtown section of Pittsburgh was sweltering in the hot rays of the sun during the afternoon Oakland and Bellevue and Avalon were being drenched by rain. The clouds seemed to gather over Oakland about 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and within a few minutes there was a heavy downpour lasting for over 10 minutes. The rain clouds seem to have come up the Ohio valley and, after passing over Bellevue and Avalon, about 12:30 o'clock the clouds suddenly opened and the districts below Allegheny experienced one of the heaviest rainfalls so far this spring. The clouds there seemed to dry up till they were passing over Oakland, when they again broke loose.

NEW NEGRO ORGANIZATION.

Formed for Colored Man's Industrial and Political Interests.

The Colored Industrial and Political Society of Allegheny County is a new organization, whose purposes are expressed in the title, that was organized last night in the Franklin school house. J. M. F. Foster reported that 125 delegates were present from all parts of the county, and that a constitution and by-laws were adopted. A meeting to elect officers and otherwise complete the organization will be held next Tuesday evening in Smith's hall, No. 1424 Wylie avenue.

The Rev. A. R. Scott, pastor of the colored Baptist church in Oakdale, was elected temporary chairman, and J. H. Oliver of McKeesport was elected temporary secretary. Among the speakers were R. W. Scott of South Sharon and J. M. F. Foster. Foster explained after the meeting that the new society was intended to unite the colored people of the county for their political and industrial interests.

M'KEESPORT MAN MISSING FROM HOME

JOHN C. WAINFOR.

John Cooper Wainfor, a well-known business man of McKeesport, has been missing from his home since March 31, and his absence is causing his family a great deal of alarm. He left home without saying any thing to his family as to his intentions and not a word has been heard of him since. There is some fear in the minds of his family that he has met with foul play. He is 57 years old and was born in England. For many years he had made his home at No. 1408 Locust street, McKeesport, and was engaged in contracting and hauling.

NO MORE PRESBYTERY TILL NEXT SEPTEMBER

Presbyterian Ministers Clean Up the Business of the Expiring Presbyterial Year.

The last regular monthly session of the presbyterial year of the Pittsburgh presbytery of the Presbyterian church was held yesterday in the Second Presbyterian church, the Rev. Dr. D. Carlisle, the moderator, calling the meeting to order. The Rev. Dr. Henry C. Minton of New Jersey, ex-moderator of the general assembly, made a brief address.

The Rev. George P. Atwell resigned the pastorate of the Riverdale congregation and accepted a call to the Hawthorne Avenue church, Crafton. Mr. Atwell will be installed on the evening of July 2. The Rev. J. J. Graham was dismissed to the presbytery of Mahoning, to take a church in Mahoningtown. The Rev. Charles Hamilton was dismissed to the presbytery of Utah, to labor under the home board among the Mormons. The Rev. Charles L. Noible was received into the presbytery from Dayton, O. He is pastor's assistant at the East Liberty Presbyterian church. The Rev. F. D. Miller will be the pastor of the new church in Wilkinsburg and will be installed on the evening of June 2.

The special committee appointed to consider the advisability of starting a new church in Oakland reported that it was inadvisable at the present time. The committee was continued until the September meeting of the presbytery.

The Rev. S. A. Hunter, appointed chairman of the committee to investigate the difficulty at the Woodlawn church reported there was now no trouble, owing to the withdrawal of several members of the congregation.

The Rev. John M. Gaston, pastor of the Hazelwood church, was the subject of much attention. He and Mrs. Gaston, on their return from California, were in the Santa Fe railroad wreck in which nine persons were killed last week. The Gastons lost all their baggage.

The presbytery adjourned at noon. It will meet again on the second Tuesday in September in the church at Woodlawn.

HELD BY CORONER.

Shooting of Elmer M. Hart of West Elizabeth Township to Be Probed.

Edward D. Thomas of Jefferson township was held by the coroner's jury to await the action of the grand jury on the killing of Elmer M. Hart of Blairsville, whom he shot in mistake for a burglar on June 1 at West Elizabeth. William Thomas was released on $2,000 bail.

Hart was stopping at the hotel and got up during the night to go to the yard. When Hart returned to the hotel Thomas saw and challenged him. Hart did not answer and Thomas shot at him, the bullet entering his heart, killing him instantly. As there were a number of burglaries committed recently in Jefferson township the hotel was being guarded.

AWARDS ARE MADE FOR FRANKSTOWN AVENUE

The city board of viewers yesterday awarded benefits and damages for the widening of Frankstown avenue, from Penn avenue to Beechwood boulevard, which were submitted to the property owners interested. The largest damages were awarded Jacob and Philomine Linn, who got $12,500. The Citizens Traction Company was assessed the highest benefits, $24,500. The total damages were $186,295, benefits, $153,856, against the city, $994.

KING OF WATERS ROSE RAPIDLY

Mississippi River Gave St. Louis Citizens Another Scare Yesterday.

ABOVE HIGH WATER MARK

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]
ST. LOUIS, MO., June 9.—The Mississippi flood which last night began to recede after reaching a stage of 37.5 feet, began a rapid rise today, establishing the highest official watermark ever recorded in St. Louis. The rise was rapid, the water creeping up from 37.1 feet, steadily increasing until at noon the stage had reached 37.70 feet. From that time until tonight the river remained stationary.

A report is current that nine persons were drowned by the capsizing of a boat, near the Madison railroad depot today, but despite all efforts it has not been confirmed. It is estimated that 8,000 refugees have found shelter in St. Louis and vicinity. Four thousand people are still living in flooded homes in Granite city, Venice and Madison. A supply boat has been outfitted and will make daily trips to relieve the destitute.

The flood situation in East St. Louis is still critical. Last night work on the levees was stopped, but the rise of today caused work on the levees to be resumed. The viaduct leading from East St. Louis to Eads bridge was ordered closed today, as it is believed the water has rendered the bridge unsafe.

Reports are received constantly that river thieves are continuing to loot submerged houses of the three stricken cities north of East St. Louis.

Reports indicate that both the Missouri and Mississippi rivers are falling above here and it is believed that the flood crisis is over and tomorrow will see a steady decline, which will continue until normal conditions prevail once more.

YANKEE CAPITAL WELCOME.

"The great aspiration of Spain now is to enjoy the fruits of industry and peace. The result of our war with the United States, was accepted with a sigh of relief as a release from an impossible situation. Our colonial war had been waged at bitter cost. The loss of our colonies meant that we could at last concentrate our energies at home where this concentration was most needed."

"We want modern industrial development, and we will welcome American capital and enterprise. It is not much known in this country, that foreigners—mostly men from other countries of Continental Europe, are largely engaged in commerce and manufacturing in Spain. We believe that Americans could do us more good. Therefore we cordially invite them."

"There is in Spain only the kindest feeling toward America and Americans. We know that the war of 1898 would never have occurred had the two nations understood each other. Americans traveling in Spain today are treated in the best manner by all classes. Among the common people the war over Cuba was never in favor. It was in no sense a national war. It was far away, they knew but little of it and they were only too glad when it ended."

THE MANCHURIAN SITUATION.

Senor de Ojedo was asked for his opinion as to Russia's position in Manchuria.

"I think," he said, "that Russia has the right of expansion in that portion of Asia. It is her natural destiny. It would be absurd to expect her to go counter to this. To resign the advantages she has so well gained."

"European nations will not go to war with Russia over Manchuria. It is possible that Japan will, but not. I believe, with the open support of Great Britain. The European nations have too many interests, to them of infinitely greater importance, to sustain elsewhere. In any event, Spain would have nothing to say in reference to the question of the farther east; nor does she concern herself immediately with that other and older eastern question, the Turk of Constantinople. She can only hope that it will sleep, as it has for many years."

Senor de Ojedo said that he did not credit the published statement that Spain is desirous of redeeming her old silver currency, the Philippine, as she is doing her utmost to prepare for a gold monetary basis at home, and he was unable to see what possible motive she could have to increase her already embarrassing supply of silver. CHESTER D. POTTER.

TRUSTEES MUST SHOW HOW MONEY WAS SPENT

County Commissioners Give Workhouse Only One-Third of Appropriation Asked.

After six months' delay the Allegheny county workhouse yesterday got its appropriation for 1903, but the trustees of that institution were much disappointed to find that their appropriation was just one-half of the amount they received last year, and only one-third of what they had asked for. The trustees get $25,000, although they insisted that $75,000 was required to meet the legitimate expenses of the workhouse for the year.

For a number of years the county commissioners have appropriated $50,000 to the workhouse without any questions being asked. At the beginning of this year the commissioners opened their eyes when the trustees of the workhouse asked for an increase of $25,000. The commissioners decided to make an investigation to learn in what manner the trustees were spending money so freely.

J. Carson Mercer took the initiative, and on his suggestion the trustees were asked to hand in a statement showing how they had disbursed last year's appropriation of $50,000, and what the increase for this year was wanted for.

Yesterday the commissioners received a statement from the trustees which accounted for the expenditure of $25,000 last year, and what the trustees intended to do with $25,000 of the $75,000 asked for this year. This left $25,000 of last year's expenditures and $50,000 of the amount asked for this year that the trustees did not account for.

This report was considered so unsatisfactory that the commissioners promptly made the appropriation for this year $25,000, and notified the trustees that they would have to show what had been done with the remaining $25,000 appropriated last year and how the trustees proposed to spend the other $50,000 this year.

PITTSBURGHERS ELECTED

German Catholic Societies Will Meet Next Year at Altoona.

WILKESBARRE, PA., June 9.—The convention of the Staats Verband of German Catholic societies elected officers and Altoona was chosen as the place for the next convention. A gloom was cast over the convention proceedings when it was announced that John Bulitz, one of the delegates who was shot by highwaymen, had died. Fitting resolutions were passed on his death.

The election resulted as follows: President, Joseph L. Reimann, Pittsburgh, vice president, Lorenz Waideman, Altoona; P. J. Hauke, South Bethlehem, corresponding secretary, John Wessler, Jr., Philadelphia; financial secretary, John Weidemann, Altoona; spiritual director, the Rev. John Otten, Sharpsburg. Delegates to Catholic Federation, F. W. Immeke, Pittsburgh; Jacob Miller, Allentown, and Peter Perumby, Altoona.

SPAIN TO HAVE A GREATER NAVY

Castilian Minister to the United States Says His Government Is Preparing Plans.

HIS COUNTRY WANTS PEACE

Result of War With America Accepted With Sight of Relief, as It Gave Emancipation from an Impossible Situation. An Industrial Era Promised.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
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Don Emilio de Ojedo, Spanish minister to the United States, in an interview tonight discussed the friendly relations restored between this country and Spain. He said his inspection of the Cramp shipyard tomorrow has no special significance and that his government does not contemplate the placing of any contracts for the building of warships in this country.

"But you are going to rebuild your navy, are you not?" was asked.

"Yes; the Spanish government has had experts at work for many months on plans for a new navy. It has not begun the work of rebuilding because it desires to have a navy of uniform type. It is not yet generally considered by naval authorities that any one nation has completely solved this problem. I believe that the Spanish government will shortly come to a financial decision on the subject.

"The question of armament is also of course, involved, and at all our gun foundries preparatory investigation and experiment have long been carried on. I do not know the number of ships it proposes to build, or whether any of them will be constructed abroad. I feel certain, however, that the majority will be built at our own shipyards.

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"I think," he said, "that Russia has the right of expansion in that portion of Asia. It is her natural destiny. It would be absurd to expect her to go counter to this. To resign the advantages she has so well gained."

"European nations will not go to war with Russia over Manchuria. It is possible that Japan will, but not. I believe, with the open support of Great Britain. The European nations have too many interests, to them of infinitely greater importance, to sustain elsewhere. In any event, Spain would have nothing to say in reference to the question of the farther east; nor does she concern herself immediately with that other and older eastern question, the Turk of Constantinople. She can only hope that it will sleep, as it has for many years."

Senor de Ojedo said that he did not credit the published statement that Spain is desirous of redeeming her old silver currency, the Philippine, as she is doing her utmost to prepare for a gold monetary basis at home, and he was unable to see what possible motive she could have to increase her already embarrassing supply of silver. CHESTER D. POTTER.

SIX TEACHERS OF HIGH SCHOOL GET A RAISE

Old Faculty Is Re-Elected for Next Year—Number of Truant Officers Increased.

The central board of education last night re-elected the present faculty of the high school for next year and promoted a number of teachers to the grade of masters, at an increase of $100 each year until they receive $1,500 a year. The lucky teachers are Prof. Bewtner and Misses McMillan, Martin, Milligan, McGinniss, Jones. The janitors and other employes of the high school were re-elected.

Miss Harriett Eck was elected teacher of domestic science in the Franklin industrial school. Professors E. E. Rinehart and G. L. Swink were re-elected music instructors.

The board increased the number of truant officers for the next year from 12 to 15. The old officers were re-elected and the three new ones are Louis Baker, E. Oliver and H. Gross. The schedule for 1903-04 fixes August 31 as the opening day for the fall term and provides holidays on Thanksgiving day, December 24 to January 4, Washington's birthday, March 31 to April 11, Memorial day and a half-holiday on Labor day. On Lincoln's birthday the schools will close after brief patriotic exercises in the morning.

P. F. Kelly of the Riverside sub-district, Thirty-fourth ward resigned, having removed from the ward. There were 40,467 pupils enrolled in May, an increase of 981 over the enrollment of May, last year.

GIRL HAS BEEN FOUND.

Armstrong County Child's Location Made a Mystery by Police.

The police at South Thirteenth street station say they have found Edna Hern of Neil postoffice, Armstrong county, who ran away from home three weeks ago. His father went to the police station yesterday and told the police he believed that she was living on Mt. Washington.

The girl ran from home to join a small circus. It was learned the girl had left the show at Verona and came to this city in company with a woman. Officers were detailed on the case and say they found her last night. The police refuse to say where she is stopping and will not place her under arrest. Her father will be notified this morning of her whereabouts. She is 15 years old.

BRITISH CABINET CRISIS IMMINENT

Chamberlain's Tariff Ideas Expected to Result in His Resignation.

BALFOUR MAY ALSO QUIT

Members of the House of Commons Declare Absolutely for Free Trade as Against the Proposals of the Colonial Secretary.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
LONDON, June 9.—The rumored resignation of Colonial Secretary Chamberlain is the most startling development of the proposal of the chancellor of the exchequer, Mr. Ritchie, to abolish the corn tax, the debate on which kept the house of commons today packed and spellbound until midnight. Even if Premier Balfour persuades Mr. Chamberlain to remain in the cabinet the colonial secretary's preferential tariff program is hopelessly snowed under and his influence as a political power in Great Britain at least temporarily eclipsed.

All the members of the government who contributed to today's debate vigorously declared themselves as free traders and frankly opposed Mr. Chamberlain's proposals. Except for Mr. Chaplin, not a voice on either side of the house was raised in effective support of Mr. Chamberlain's campaign.

Upon the resumption of the debate Mr. Chaplin's amendment to the budget bill, which is the cause of this sensational political crisis, will be taken up. Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman will demand the right of the Liberals to know the premier's attitude toward free trade before they support him in the repeal of the corn tax. Mr. Balfour will reply and Mr. Chamberlain is also expected to speak.

There are many members who believe tonight that Premier Balfour will also resign and that a dissolution of the house is involved, but these rumors lack confirmation.

Mr. Chaplin's amendment was scarcely made today before it became a secondary consideration. Its defeat was assured. Until midnight the fight, if such an undefended struggle could be described, raged around Mr. Chamberlain. "Oil and vitriol" is the only adequate description of Sir Michael Hicks Beach's speech which started the revolt. Amid intense silence this famous Tory ex-minister extolled the colonial secretary's virtues and damned his program.

"Black Michael," as he is familiarly called, was never seen to better advantage. The ministers sat with troubled faces. Mr. Balfour looking especially dejected. Mr. Chamberlain, deserting his usual place, paler than even usual then stretched himself nonchalantly at the end of the treasury bench. Throughout the afternoon he never exchanged a word with his colleagues. After Mr. Ritchie had renounced the colonial secretary's ideas, Mr. Chamberlain stalked out of the chamber without even a nod to Mr. Balfour.

PRISONERS BROKE AWAY.

Excitement About the Jail Occasioned by Resistance of Two Men.

Two prisoners attempted to escape from officers last night while being taken to the county jail. Both were recaptured after an exciting chase. John Mallery, committed to jail on a charge of larceny by Alderman John Grettinger, fought Constable F. J. Kavanaugh at Ross and Diamond streets. The officer chased him to Fourth avenue and Smithfield street, where he was captured.

About the same time Patrick Folly, committed to jail by Alderman P. B. Reilly on a charge of disorderly conduct, broke away from the constable near the jail and was caught at Fifth avenue and Grant street, after an exciting chase. There was much excitement and large crowds gathered.

Business Before Presbytery.

At the meeting of the Allegheny presbytery of the United Presbyterian church in the Bellevue church yesterday morning the Rev. Dr. John McNaugher presided. The application of Duquesne park to organize a church was granted and it will be known as the North End church of Allegheny county. The resignations of the Rev. Frank Smith of Glade Run and the Rev. R. H. Park of Valencia park were accepted. The request of the residents of Mars for the pastoral services of the Rev. R. H. Rockwell was received. Robert Boucher and Frank Mellon, students of the theological seminary, preached trial sermons.

A Trained Nurse Speaks Out.

Trained nurses as a rule are a fine lot of women, and if they were men would make magnificent soldiers. They are trained to obey to the minutest detail, and it is seldom one can be got to express an opinion on any remedy, being content to carry out the physician's orders. Speaking on the subject one of the best known nurses of Pittsburgh, Pa., said: "I only recall one case where I felt called upon to speak right out and tell the doctors what I thought. I had been called in to attend an old lady suffering with chronic constipation and whose enfeebled condition precluded the use of cascara, rhubarb, Hearton or other powerful purgatives. The doctors were giving the patient large doses of olive oil without any appreciable result. I insisted upon Red Raven Splits, knowing that as a laxative, though mild, it was exceedingly sure. To our delight, the doctors, after consultation, prescribed a bottle every morning for three mornings. A prompt change came over the patient and in a few days she was relieved. This is the only experience I ever had with Red Raven Splits in a critical illness, but in a number of mild attacks of constipation, torpid liver, headache and biliousness, I have known them to bring quick relief."

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BIGELOW NAMES HIS COMMITTEE

His Machine Was in Complete Control of All But One of the Eight Conventions.

PRINTED ORDERS WERE USED

W. H. Stevenson Shows That He Is Stronger Than James J. Booth in the Fourteenth--Trouble in the Sixth District.

Eight legislative district conventions yesterday elected Thomas S. Bigelow's county committee of 32. He will make Murry A. Verner the chairman. This is a roster of the body:

1. E. J. McIlvain. 5. Thomas S. Bigelow.
1. Thos. B. Scandrett. 5. J. S. Wightman.
1. Wm. H. Sarver. 5. James J. Booth.
1. Justus Schroedle. 5. Peter Soffell, Sr.
2. S. G. Porter. 5. John Costello.
2. C. P. Marshall. 5. Morgan McDonald.
2. O. A. Galley. 6. H. H. Negley.
2. John Dittmar. 6. U. M. Beck.
3. Thomas C. Scott. 6. C. M. Shoaf.
3. W. B. Hays. 6. E. R. Barnett.
3. J. J. McDonough. 7. H. Clean Sample.
3. Jesse T. Bluestone. 7. Frank Agnew.
4. L. S. Levin. 7. George McPherson.
4. A. W. Stewart. 7. John R. Wheeler.
5. M. A. Verner. 8. T. C. Jones.
5. C. S. Crawford. 8. W. T. Pyle.

In the Republican party there are 580 odd members of the county committee, but a large body is difficult to control, so Bigelow has cut his committee down to 32 and with the exception of two members in the Seventh district, the membership is of his personal selection. When he returns from New York the latter end of the week the committee will be organized by the election of M. A. Verner as chairman and Director James W. Clark of the department of charities and corrections as secretary. Representation on the committee is based on the county's membership in the house of representatives, two committeemen being allowed for each assemblyman.

CONVENTIONS NOT HARMONIOUS.

There was an absence of harmony in some of the conventions and while Bigelow controlled in nearly every instance, the most violent machine tactics had to be resorted to. The two Allegheny districts were controlled absolutely by the Wyman element and officeholders under the city administration were generally selected as committeemen. Both the First and Second district conventions congratulated the mayor on having redeemed his reform pledges, and the delegates really appeared to be serious. There was harmony in the Third and Fourth districts. In the former Mayor Hays was indorsed and commended for accomplishing reforms and reducing taxation. There was no statement of fact attached.

The Fifth, the largest convention of the eight, was obedient to the boss. It was machine ruled from start to finish. Another feature was the evident decision of Bigelow to recognize James J. Booth in the Fourteenth ward and endeavor to kill off William H. Stevenson. Booth was elected a committeeman on the Bigelow slate, Stevenson running as an independent and demonstrating that the delegates of the Fourteenth ward were almost unanimous for him. In the three most unanimous districts the machine was supreme, with the exception of the Seventh, where the leadership of Controller R. J. Cunningham received a severe jolt. In the Sixth district an attempt to indorse the Citizens county officials was hooted, indicating that many gold bricks have been received in that section.

ALLEGHENY CONVENTION.

The conventions of the First and Second legislative districts to elect Citizens' county committeemen met last night in council chambers in Allegheny City hall. Both conventions were quiet and the proceedings were brief. Thomas B. Scandrett, director of public safety, presided at the First district convention, and was elected one of the committee. The others elected were: E. J. McIlvain, of the First ward, the director of public works; William H. Sarver and Justus Schroedle.

Attorney R. H. Jackson was chairman of the Second district convention. Mr. Jackson made each delegate to the convention present his credentials, a formality that Director Scandrett overlooked in the other convention. City Solicitor Stephen G. Porter of the Eleventh ward, Assessor Oliver A. Galley of the Fifteenth ward, John Dittman of the Third ward, and C. A. Marshall were elected to the committee.

Both conventions passed resolutions indorsing the reform policy of the Wyman administration and congratulating the mayor on his aggressiveness in carrying out the reform pledge that he used in every address he made during the February campaign.

Director Scandrett and Attorney Jackson were elected permanent chairmen, and C. A. Ross and A. W. Emich permanent secretaries of the First and Second legislative districts, respectively.

THEY OBEYED ORDERS.

The convention of the Third legislative district was held in the Citizens party headquarters in Third avenue. The district consists of the Second, Third, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Eleventh and Thirteenth wards. The meeting was called to order by Superintendent of Police John P. McTighe. McTighe was elected permanent chairman and Thomas C. Scott secretary. The nomination and election of county committeemen went through as if greased. Mayor William B. Hays, Sixth ward; Thomas C. Scott, Eleventh ward; J. J. McDonough, Thirteenth ward; Jesse T. Bluestone, Eighth ward, and Julius Clark, Seventh ward, were nominated. There were only four to elect, and in the balloting Clarke was the one defeated, by a large vote.

The Fourth legislative district, which consists of the Second, Fourth, Fifth, Ninth, Tenth and Twelfth wards, also held its convention in the Citizens party headquarters. The meeting was called to order by W. T. Carr, and Police Magistrate John J. Kirby was elected permanent chairman and secretary. There were only two nominations, Assistant City Solicitor L. S. Levin of the Fifth ward, and A. W. Stewart of the Twelfth ward, and they were unanimously elected county committeemen.

In the Third district convention a resolution that the city administration be indorsed was adopted.

PRINTED ORDERS GIVEN.

In the Fifth there was no attempt made to conceal the machine tactics. The convention was held in common council chamber and as the delegates entered the room they were given a printed slip containing the eight committeemen selected by Bigelow. There are 164 delegates in this district and 162½ votes were cast.

Charles S. Crawford called the convention to order and Alderman J. W. Walker of the Twenty-fifth ward was made temporary chairman and later the permanent presiding officer. John S. Rossiter, J. E. Pancost and Joseph Vichestain were the secretaries. When Walker took charge of the meeting he pulled his written orders out of his pocket, laid them on the table before him and obeyed them explicitly.

When the roll had been called W. H. Stevenson announced that there would be several contests from the Fourteenth ward and moved the appointment of a committee of three on contests. Walker referred to the orders and promptly named Stevenson, R. B. Brown and Elmer E. Siebert. After developments suggested that the appointment of Stevenson might have been a trick to get him out of the convention while the committeemen were being elected.

RATHER UNUSUAL PROCEEDING.

When the committee had been sent over to select council to examine into the contests, Chairman Walker called for the nomination of committeemen. S. S. Leslie in an eloquent address named Murry A. Verner of the Twentieth ward; S. A. Johnston presented Charles S. Crawford of the same ward. W. J. Moore of the Fourteenth ward, who is fighting for reelection as ward chairman, nominated his chief champion, Common Councilman W. H. Stevenson. In doing so he said that he named a man who had 12 of the 16 Fourteenth ward delegates back of him and was representative of the fighting element in the ward. J. W. Harger presented James J. Booth, the leader of the anti-Moore forces. J. S. Wightman of the Twenty-second ward, Peter Soffel, Sr., of the Thirty-second, Morgan McDonald of the Twenty-fifth and John Costello of the Thirty-fifth, were nominated. George W. McLean named Thomas S. Bigelow of the Nineteenth and the first applause was elected. W. S. Haynes of the Twenty-third was the last man nominated. Stevenson and Haynes were the two men not on the Bigelow slate.

Chairman Walker said that while it was a trifle irregular, he would suggest that the balloting would begin, as it was difficult to tell when the committee on contested seats would report. This suggestion was promptly accepted.

ONE MAN SCRATCHED BIGELOW.

The Fourteenth ward was not called until after the committee had presented its report. Five districts had been contested and in each case a half vote was allowed. By this method there was no preference shown either faction. The Fourteenth ward cast 13 votes for Stevenson and 3 for James J. Booth. Stevenson got support from the Sixteenth, Eighteenth, Twenty-third and Thirty-fourth, the balance of the wards, with the exception of two votes in the Twenty-third for Hayner, voted the slate. When a colored delegate from the Fourteenth ward was called, he asked how he was to vote. Chairman Walker promptly replied "Vote for the eight men on that printed slip."

John Frederick of the Thirteenth district of the Twenty-third ward, did not vote for Thomas S. Bigelow. He was the only delegate to scratch the boss. The following was the result of the vote: Verner, 162½; Crawford, 155½; Bigelow, 161½; Wightman, 161½; Soffel, 161½; Costello, 160; McDonald, 162½; Stevenson, 26, and Hayner, 2.

Stevenson had nothing to say about the result except that the Fourteenth ward had not been treated fairly. He says that it casts one-tenth of the Citizens vote and is forgetful of the Twenty-third ward, did not vote for Thomas S. Bigelow. He was the only delegate to scratch the boss. The following was the result of the vote: Verner, 162½; Crawford, 155½; Bigelow, 161½; Wightman, 161½; Soffel, 161½; Costello, 160; McDonald, 162½; Stevenson, 26, and Hayner, 2.

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MACHINE-RULED SIXTH.

Bigelow will be kept busy for weeks smoothing out the rough spots made by the Sixth district convention. John Campbell, chairman of the district, and a clerk in the office of Recorder J. Denny O'Neil, was delegated to look after the machine's interests. The result is that a score of men who have contributed to the success of the party in that section of the county are angry and disgusted.

Campbell wanted a re-election and not being overly popular, he had to use the "strong arm" to get things his way. The convention was held in the Third avenue headquarters. Fifteen delegates, who had been regularly elected, were refused admission. Thomas McConway of Oakdale was among the number. He said that the treatment given the real workers in the party was outrageous and he predicted the success of the Republican ticket this fall. He said that he believed the machine made out and issued credentials yesterday. Dr. J. H. Burkett, chairman of the Second district of Robinson township, was shut out. His precinct was the banner one for the Citizens in the last county fight.

CAMPBELL RE-ELECTED.

Campbell had enough votes to elect him and the opposition did not put up a candidate. The other officers elected were W. H. Muncey, vice chairman; Charles G. Fetterman, secretary, and Thomas E. Morgan, treasurer.

The district is entitled to four committeemen. There were a number of nominations and the election roster was as follows: Dr. J. M. Doyle, Homestead, 14; H. H. Negley, Elliott, 67; Howard L. Black, Homestead, 8; U. M. Beck, McKees Rocks, 51; Charles M. Shoaf, West Elizabeth, 53; S. R. Barnett, Crescent, 54; John Stewart, Thirty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, 2.

The convention launched a boom for Charles G. Fetterman of Scott township for prothonotary. The county committeemen were instructed to urge the nomination of Fetterman. As Bigelow is supposed to have promised this place to a Democrat, there is not much chance for Fetterman.

The feeling against the new county officials was demonstrated when A. L. Douglass of West Elizabeth tried to have this motion adopted: "I move that this convention extend a vote of loyalty to County Recorder J. Denny O'Neil for the faithful manner he has stood by the Citizens party." A chorus of groans greeted him. Douglass then amended to include all the county officials and there were more groans. The resolution was then withdrawn.

CONTROLLER CUNNINGHAM BUMPED

Controller R. J. Cunningham, the Bigelow boss of the Seventh district, received a knockout blow in the convention of that district held in Allegheny city hall yesterday morning. He went to the meeting with a slate and saw it broken. Bigelow had ordered him to elect George McPherson of Avalon, Joseph R. Wheeler of Sewickley, H. M. Breckenridge and R. J. Butz. The independents defeated Breckenridge and Butz and elected H. Glenn Sample of Shaler township, and Frank Agnew of Aspinwall. During the tempestuous Cunningham did run the convention his way, there were cries of "gag rule" and "ring tactics." Cunningham wanted two committeemen from the upper end and two from the lower end of the district.

The Eighth district convention was held at city hall. T. C. Jones of McKeesport and Dr. W. T. Pyle of Swissvale were elected committeemen without a fight. J. Frank Miller of Wilkinsburg was elected permanent chairman, W. J. Straub of the Thirty-seventh ward of Pittsburgh, secretary; W. F. Stewart of McKeesport, assistant secretary; Samuel L. Britton of Patton township, treasurer. The meeting was harmonious. County Treasurer Collingwood and Recorder J. Denny O'Neil were at the meeting.

ADMINISTRATION ROASTED.

Mayor William B. Hays' administration was given a roasting Monday night at a mass meeting of Citizens in the Thirty-fifth ward. Assessor Henry Digby called the meeting in Kortzenger's hall for the purpose of electing a ward committee and delegates to the Fifth legislative district convention. There was a big attendance and Digby was alarmed. He called the other payroll into conference in the street. The audience grew bored waiting and C. T. W. Cooper called the gathering to order. Digby protested, but no attention was paid to him. He called the payroll men outside and they held a meeting.

The big meeting continued and a committee of 15 was appointed to organize the ward, and delegates were elected to the Fifth district convention. Resolutions were adopted condemning the councilmen. It was set forth that public improvements promised have not been made. The resolution concludes:

"That we, the citizens of the Thirty-fifth ward, do most heartily condemn the attitude of our present administration in reference to those matters after all the promises made to us by them, and it is therefore the sense of this meeting that we appoint a committee of 15 citizens to represent us, and select for office men who will devote a few hours to our interests, and represent us in an honest, fearless and conscientious manner, and to such men we pledge our hearty support and co-operation, and to no other."

WHARF MAY BE CLEARED.

Allegheny City Solicitor Holds That It Cannot Be Occupied by Private Persons.

An opinion given by City Solicitor Stephen G. Porter to the public works committee of Allegheny councils last night may result in councils ordering all persons or corporations using the Allegheny city wharf to move off. Mr. Porter's opinion is that the city has no legal right to lease the wharf to private persons for any purpose. The question came up last week when J. M. Gilchrist's Sons asked for the right to erect a coal dock in the Fourth ward.

After hearing the opinion of Solicitor Porter, Councilmen Charles F. Kirschler and John C. Oliver objected to a favorable report being made to councils on the ordinance. Mr. Kirschler declared that if the privilege was granted to anyone it must be given to all that might ask it. It was Mr. Kirschler's opinion that all persons now occupying the wharf should be compelled to move off. The ordinance was finally referred to Mr. Porter for a written opinion.

Liquor License Transfers.

Judge J. A. Evans yesterday granted transfers of liquor licenses from John E. Windle to David Hirsch, No. 2040 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, and from Adam Spahn to Charles Renike, No. 113 South Twenty-fifth street. The applications still held up are those from William Divin to Peter Horlly, Nos. 201 and 203 Grant street, and from John D. Mabold to William H. Enright, Nos. 115 and 118 Federal street, Allegheny.

MUEHLBRONNER FOR SECRETARY

Alleghenian Will Be Named to This Position on the Committee.

DAVIS TO BE VICE CHAIRMAN

Squire E. J. Riffle of Shaler Township Is Expected to Announce for Sheriff and Will Have the Backing of George A. Chalfant.

At a conference of prominent Republicans from all parts of the county yesterday, Thomas J. Ford of Etna, announced that he would accept the chairmanship of the Republican county committee. The other organization officials were practically agreed to.

It was decided to call the next county committee together at city hall at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. In addition to electing the officers, there will be some resolutions adopted. The leaders were well pleased to secure the acceptance of Mr. Ford. Owing to his health, there was some doubt about his agreeing to perform the hard labor connected with the conduct of the county campaign.

For vice chairman, L. L. Davis of Homestead, was unanimously agreed upon. D. L. Gillespie of the Nineteenth ward will be the treasurer of the new organization. Allegheny is to name the secretary and a conference of North Side Republicans will be held this morning. It is the general belief that Senator Charles A. Muehlbronner will be selected.

Squire E. J. Riffle of Shaler township, is being talked of as a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff. He is a young Republican who is strong in his home territory. His friends say that if he enters the contest, he will have the backing of George A. Chalfant of Etna. While he is a close friend of Mr. Ford, the latter says that if he is elected chairman, he will not use his position to assist Riffle or any other candidate who enters the primaries.

There was a re-organization of the Twenty-ninth ward Citizens committee last night. These officers were chosen: Silas Smith, chairman; E. G. Sanders, vice chairman; W. C. McKenzie, secretary; Philip Schohe, treasurer, and H. J. Hays, city committeeman.

MYSTERY OF A BODY THAT DISAPPEARED

Track Walker Found It, but When He Returned It Was Gone.

Coroner McGeary received word from the telegraph agent at Coraopolis last night that a man had been killed on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad between Economy and Woodlawn stations yesterday morning. The body was found by Patrick O'Grady, a track walker. He laid the body on the bank, but when he returned from the Economy station it had disappeared. No trace of the body could be found. Coroner McGeary detailed two deputies to make an investigation of the case this morning. O'Grady said the man's body was not mangled.

George Thornton, 47 years old, of No. 5073 Center avenue, dropped dead in front of George K. Stevenson's stables on Beltler street last night. He was barn boss for George K. Stevenson, the East End grocer. He seemed to be in good health a few minutes previous to his death and was chatting with several of the neighbors. Mrs. Thornton and a 12-year-old daughter are on the ocean and are expected to arrive in Pittsburgh on Saturday. They have been in England for four years. A son, Ernest, a baker in the East End, also survives. Thornton came to this country from Kenilworth, England, when a boy and has resided in Pittsburgh since. For the past few months he has been troubled with rheumatism.

Walter Handley, aged 6 years, died yesterday at his home, No. 741 Mary street, McKees Rocks, of burns received while playing with Tennis Bradley, aged 5 years, near his home, three weeks ago. The boy was a son of John A. Handley, a business man of Chartiers avenue, McKees Rocks.

The body of an unknown white man was found floating in the Monongahela river at Braddock, yesterday afternoon. It is thought the body is that of a workingman. A gold watch and $1.16 were found in the pockets of his clothing.

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ALLEGHENY BRIDE HAS SUDDENLY DISAPPEARED

Mrs. William Selanling Mysteriously Missing and With Her Went Her Husband's Money.

Mystery surrounds the disappearance of Mrs. William Selanling of No. 202 West Robinson street, Allegheny, who left her home on Saturday and has not been heard of since. The police and detectives of both cities are making a search for her.

She was married to William Selanling four weeks ago yesterday. Saturday he returned home and gave his wife a check for his month's pay. She left the house with this check and $15. Her husband notified the police of her disappearance that night, thinking that she had been robbed or met with some accident. Selanling says his wife is of sound mind and that he has no reason to believe that she has deserted him. The woman is 22 years old.

TROLLEY ROADS CHARTERED.

PHILADELPHIA, June 9.—The following charters were issued yesterday by the state department at Harrisburg:

Glenwood Rapid Transit Street Railway Company, Philadelphia, capital $270,000, to build 15 miles of road.

The Moyamensing and Southwark Rapid Transit Street Railway Company, Philadelphia, capital $282,000, to build 47 miles of road.

The Parkside Rapid Transit Street Railway Company, Philadelphia, capital $42,000, to build seven miles of road.

The Bustleton and Byberry Rapid Transit Street Railway Company, Philadelphia, capital $120,000, to build 20 miles of road. C. P. Weaver of Philadelphia is president of all four companies.

HOW TO FIND OUT

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains the linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it, or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes.

You may have a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, and a book that tells all about it, both sent absolutely free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing be sure to mention that you read this generous offer in The Pittsburgh Daily Gazette. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

A Phonograph for Your Home

You don't need to go to the parks or to the heated theater this warm weather for your diversion. Sit on your front porch, start your phonograph going almost anywhere in the house and you'll enjoy yourself more than you ordinarily do at the playhouse.

We have a variety of talking machines. Our house is headquarters for the best machines in the market. We are selling them now at special prices. We anticipate what is known as the dull season by putting down prices and consequently we have no dull season. The prices at which we are offering these talking machines will encourage plenty of business. Look at these figures.

Edison Phonographs . . . $10 and up
Victor Talking Machines . . $15 and up
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Second-hand talking machines, taken in exchange from customers who desired larger machines, for $5 and upward. These machines are in good order. At these prices they are great bargains.

Edison Records, 50c each, or $5 a dozen.
Edison Concert Records, $1 each.

PERSONAL—Mr. E. F. Olnhausen is now manager of our Phonograph Department and will be glad to see his friends at any time.

MELLOR'S,
(C. C. Mellor Co., Ltd.)
319 and 321 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh.

Great Mirror Sale

We have at our factory 500 first quality Beveled and Plain French Mirror Plates (odd sizes), which we have had framed in Gold Leaf and various wood frames, for Mantel, Pier and Wall Mirrors. These framed Mirrors will be on sale at our Pittsburgh Store

Wednesday, June 10th
TO
Tuesday, June 16th
INCLUSIVE

If you wish a Mantel or a Pier Mirror, grasp this opportunity. There never has been anything like it. The following are a few of the great bargains we have to offer:

Plate 18x54, outside measure 24x60, ornamental English oak frame ..... $ 7.50
Plate 40x50, beveled, outside measure 52x62, heavy gold frame 30.00
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Weather—Showers — Wednesday, June 10, 1903.

Half Prices for Imported Embroidered Swisses

We are closing out all these Swisses and have some 850 yards to sell at the half price line. Today come and buy them for making up into the pretty summer dress—nothing so fetching, nothing so cool.

Exquisite pinks, light blue, ecru, helio and white grounds over which are neatly embroidered effects in white and black.

$1 Embroidered Swisses, reduced to 50c a yard.
$1.25 Embroidered Swisses, reduced to 62½c a yard,
$1.50 Embroidered Swisses, reduced to 75c a yard.
$2 Embroidered Swisses, reduced to $1 a yard.

$14 Mattings $7.50 Per Roll.

These are the finest grades of Cotton Warp Japanese Mattings, a matting that will give you as good service as a medium grade of carpet, and far more ornamental than the carpet.

The prettiest of colors combined as only Japanese know how to associate colors.

For fear the head may be misleading we must tell you that not all of the mattings are of the $14 grade—some of them sold only for $12; but in either case the reduction is worthy of note.

This department also has some pretty grass Matting Rugs for $1.50 each. They are 72x36 inches in size, fringed at each end and bound on side. Very pretty colors.

Flowers Today.

And lots of green Plants, besides. All potted, all in healthy soil, and a greater variety than ever—and also, for smaller prices than usual.

Here's the list from which you can choose:
Palms, 40c, 75c and up to $3.25 per pot.
Camass, 12½c per pot.
Moon Vines, 10c per pot.
Ferns, 65c and $1 per pot.
Rubber Plants, 60c per pot.
Screw Plants, 85c per pot.
Begonias—flowering—10c per pot.
Coleus, 5c per pot.
Umbrella Plants, 12½c per pot.
Asparagus, 25c per pot.
Hardy Clematis, 25c per pot.
Hanging Baskets, $1 each.
Fern Pans, 50c each.

Burn Your Waste Paper.

We have a wire receptacle built especially for burning paper and all sorts of inflammable rubbish. On about the same plan as a garbage can, only it is wire.

It can be filled, the lid fastened down, and even on a windy day, set out in the yard, the match applied and no danger from sparks.

One of the most useful things around the house ever invented.

On sale in the Housefurnishing Department, Basement, 75c each.

Hot Weather Dress Shields.

Something that will interest women at once. Made without rubber, no odor, light weight, covered with either silk or nainsook.

In the above description you have what constitutes that famous dress shield, "The Omo"—the most successful shield of its kind on the market.

At the Notion Counter a special showing of them this week—lady in charge who will point out their superiority.

Special Refrigerator Chances.

And it is questionable whether there will be such another opportunity again this season. A case in which the manufacturer stands the loss. Refrigerators with beautiful dark oak frames, lined throughout with non-absorbent white tile, and the shelves of pure white enamel.

Only 11 of these fine refrigerators to be sold for the following reduced prices:

Two $30 Refrigerators for $22.50 each.
One $35 Refrigerator for $25.
Two $38.50 Refrigerators for $27.50 each.
Two $40 Refrigerators for $30 each.
One $45 Refrigerator for $35.
Three $60 Refrigerators for $47.50 each.

And please remember that in buying one of these refrigerators at some one of the reduced prices, you are putting your money into one of the best grades of refrigerators made.

Men's Serge Suits, $7.50.

Seven dollars and fifty cents for a dressy suit of serge—to say nothing about the comfort you'll enjoy! Blue serge, black serges and you can be sure, especially in the blue, of the color holding fast.

Oh, did we forget to say that! Truly. You are not buying regular $7.50 suits—on the contrary, you are buying for $7.50 a suit that sold for $10 and $12.

All sizes, also extra sizes for stouts and slims.

Something better! To be sure: $15 Serge suits for $10; $18 and $20 Serge suits for $12.50.

Now about Outing Suits, those two-piece suits, skeleton coat, which is only another way of saying no lining, and baggy breeches, roll bottoms if you want them. Such materials as flannel and crash, and all you will be asked to pay will be $7.50.

Something finer in the way of suits of homespuns and wool crash, $12 to $18 a suit.

Still finer Outing Suits of French Flannel, English Tweeds and Irish Homespuns, $18 to $25.

Brussels Rugs, $22.

The size is 12 feet by 9 feet.

No matter about the former price—the best bit of news is that you buy these choice Brussels Rugs now for $22 each. If you ever knew of a better rug bargain, the rugs in carpet size, we should like to hear of it.

Small patterns in unique Persian effects.

Speaking of Persian effects reminds us that we have quite a number of genuine Persian Hearth Rugs, heretofore sold for $36, and in order to close the line, now reduced to $20 each.

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may be cured. Don't neglect your symptoms. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is a great heart and blood tonic about which you will learn a great deal and also about heart trouble by sending postal for free book on diseases of the heart and nerves. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

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FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.
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Pennsylvania Limited, daily ..... 7.15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily ..... 7.15 a. m.
Day Express, daily ..... 7.50 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily ..... 8.00 a. m.
Harrisburg Mail, daily ..... 12.45 p. m.
Harrisburg Express, daily ..... 4.45 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily ..... 4.50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily ..... 7.10 p. m.
Fast Line, daily ..... 9.00 p. m.
"Pittsburgh Limited," daily, for New York only ..... 10.00 p. m.
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Philadelphia Mail, Sundays only ..... 8.30 a. m.
For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily.
For Oil City, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05 and 11.00 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.
For Titusville and Corry, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., and 11.00 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week days.
For Du Bois, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., 1.30 and 5.05 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 5.05 p. m.
For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8.00 a. m. and 5.00 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited," 7.15 a. m. week days.
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 7.00, 8.25 a. m., 12.30 and 4.25 p. m. week days.
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Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8.30 am	* 6.45 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 8.35 am	* 1.30 pm
Mansfield and Akron	* 8.35 am	* 1.30 pm
Jamestown and Youngstown	* 8.35 am	* 1.30 pm
Main Valley Express	* 8.40 am	* 6.45 pm
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Toledo and Toledo	* 9.00 am	* 4.50 pm
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The Forest City Special	* 9.00 am	* 4.50 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 9.00 am	* 4.50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 9.00 am	* 4.50 pm
New Castle and Jamestown	* 9.05 am	* 5.05 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 9.05 am	* 5.05 pm
Youngstown and Jamestown	* 12.35 pm	* 8.30 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	* 12.35 pm	* 1.30 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 1.35 pm	* 6.00 pm
Alliance and Creston	* 1.35 pm	* 6.00 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.45 pm	* 8.30 pm
Youngstown and Akron	* 4.45 pm	* 8.30 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4.45 pm	* 8.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4.45 pm	* 8.30 pm
Cleveland Express	* 4.45 pm	* 8.30 pm
The Cleveland Special	* 5.30 pm	* 1.30 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 5.30 pm	* 1.30 am
New Castle and Jamestown	* 5.35 pm	* 1.30 am
The Chicago Special	* 6.00 pm	* 6.45 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 7.35 pm	* 6.30 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.30 pm	* 6.45 am
The Pittsburgh Limited	* 8.30 pm	* 6.45 am
The Fast Line	* 9.00 pm	* 6.45 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 9.00 pm	* 6.45 am
The Chicago Limited	* 9.00 pm	* 6.45 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 9.00 pm	* 6.45 am
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Akron and Cleveland	* 10.30 pm	* 6.45 am

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Wednesday, June 10, 1903.

Disclosures of the "Boxer" campaigns were less eloquent of the stationary or backward tendencies of Chinese civilization than the news report of yesterday that the Peking fire department turned out to fight a serious conflagration with banners and gongs. However dampening incantations may be to the spirits of an audience, they lack the positive wetness essential to the quenching of flames. No doubt banners and gongs are better adapted to the public water supply of Peking than automobile fire engines, but the Chinese capital ought to show progress in both. The unwatered and unsewered city is a monument to the fact that Chinese science, so forward seven or eight centuries ago, suffered a stroke of paralysis about the time that Europe began to think of high explosives and astronomy.

Today is the time set for the opening of the Jett-White trial, the feud case of Breathitt county, Kentucky. Opinion in Kentucky and elsewhere is divided as to probable results. On one side it is held the trial will be a farce because witnesses and jurors, if not the court itself, will be intimidated by fear of the fiendists' vengeance. On the other side the prediction is made that the proceedings will be in earnest and the result a fresh crop of assassinations. Neither of these estimates is flattering to Kentucky civilization or justice, and we hope both will be inexorably unverified. It is time that justice should be dealt out fearlessly in Kentucky courts and that verdicts should be accepted peaceably. Otherwise the only law fitted to Blue Grass state conditions is martial law of a severe character.

In considering the proposition for the police department to prohibit the sale of toy pistols, it is well to take into account the fact that these things are of no possible value to the youth. With a real gun it is possible to attain the art of shooting straight, which is useful in certain emergencies, but the toy pistol is usually so constructed that it cannot teach even the first elementary lesson how a weapon is held. Everyone knows it is dangerous to give genuine firearms to children, and the practice is vigorously discouraged. As a matter of fact, however, the toy pistol has proven as fatal at the breach as the actual gun has at the muzzle, so it small boys must go about imitating the untamed cowboy, "shooting up the town," we believe the odds favor their equipment with full-fledged, ball-firing pistols. The toy pistol is an unmitigated danger and nuisance.

King Edward's intended favor to the White House architect will afford occasion for a good deal of Washington gossip. Prevalent opinion in Washington is and has been unfavorable to the "improvement" of the executive mansion. The medal that is to be conferred is one that is given for meritorious achievement. This raises the question whether the American public—or that part of it which has so sharply criticised the new White House—is unable to appreciate genuine architectural merit, or whether King Edward's standards differ radically from those of this country. It is just barely possible the king of England meant to bestow the medal as a compliment to a friendly nation as much as a distinction for the individual architect, but if so it appears his intent has gone astray upon imperfect information. Then again, his design may be to recognize the merit of introducing royal appointments in the executive palace of the magistrate of the great democracy.

Indianapolis notes the passing of its natural gas supply with mingled feelings of regret and relief. Regret predominates, for the ideal fuel was a great boon to the city at the start and as long as the supply was adequate. The relief is from recent experiences with failing pressures and total absence at times when the fuel was most needed. The final disappearance of gas from the Hoosier capital is of interest to Pittsburgh. A dozen years ago there were predictions that our own gas supply was on the verge of exhaustion, and we were told our industries would soon drift away to the vast and lasting gas fields of the Trenton rock in Ohio and Indiana. Alas! the Trenton rock has first blown its caloric producing fluid into the air. Pittsburgh has natural gas in ample supply for years to come; Indiana and western Ohio are facing the famine. The inequity of the case is more pronounced in view of the fact that Pittsburgh has at its doors a matchless supply of high-grade coal in addition to its gas, while the Trenton rock regions have none. Naturally the industries continue to crowd this way.

During the hot and silly season it is perhaps natural that discussion should recur to the matter of disposing of the hopelessly insane, the quarantine of consumptives and the uplifting of the race by restricting marriages on physical grounds. These subjects are fit for the season. They will pass with the return of more comfortable meteorological conditions and saner moods. No man has ever been able to codify the laws of heredity, or to explain why the child of wise parents may be a fool, or the offspring of tuberculosis parentage should live to a vigorous old age. No man is fit to judge who of his fellow men should be put to death for no other offense than temporary or permanent weakness. We are digging deep into the mystery of things, weighing atoms and measuring ions, but the wisest of all can see but a part of the great scheme of the universe, and he would be most of all unwilling to tamper with the course of nature, or to interfere with the execution of universal laws of which he knows but a part of the details and nothing of the final results they are designed to secure.

Engineering Limitations.

In the hearing anent the proposed elevation of the Thirtieth street bridge yesterday, Capt. Rees scored a point on the engineers in charge of that structure when he detailed how they had accomplished what they had declared to be an engineering impossibility, but he utterly failed to demonstrate the necessity for raising that bridge any higher. Modern engineering recognizes few impossibilities. When Capt. Rees at a previous hearing declared it an engineering impossibility to meet the requirements of Allegheny river navigation with boats of a less height than 28 feet above the water line, the engineers speedily put his argument out of business by constructing effective craft of a height of 22 feet, and by making plans for equally powerful boats to be not higher than 18 to 20 feet.

Raising the bridges is not a question of engineering possibility, but one of justice, economy and expedience. Engineers could devise means to put the bridges so high they never could be reached by ordinary traffic. They could elevate the streets of all downtown Pittsburgh to the level of the Grant street "hump" if any one could be found to pay the expense and damages. But the cleverest engineers cannot raise any one of the Allegheny river bridges a foot without incurring great expense, or without putting an added strain upon traffic. Grades can be overcome to a certain degree at the expense of power to move tonnage, but the grades proposed by the bridge raisers not only involve great additional expense for the movement of traffic, but pass the limit of safety. It is an engineering impossibility to eliminate these factors from the equation, though it is a simple enough engineering problem to avoid raising the bridges at all by building boats adapted to existing conditions.

The Gazette has repeatedly shown that the traffic which passes over the bridges is vastly greater than any that can ever be developed on the river. It is inexpedient to handicap that overhead traffic by creating heavy grades in its path. The ridiculousness of the idea is fully illustrated by comparison with the project to cut down the Grant street "hump" in order to relieve the street congestion. In this case it is deemed good economy—and we believe correctly so—to spend more than a million dollars of public money to remove hindering grades. In the bridge case it is proposed to create similar grades on every thoroughfare between Pittsburgh and Allegheny and to compel the owners of injured property to bear the expense which will necessarily be much greater than the cost of cutting down the "hump." In the history of this community, we believe, so grotesque a proposition was never before considered seriously.

Royalty Rebukes Gambling.

Queen Alexandra of England is said to have absented herself from certain fashionable racing incidents at Epsom in order to give emphasis to her disapproval of the growing gambling fad among the women of high station in English society circles. If the story be true the position of the queen on the subject will be very generally commended, and the hope felt that in Alexandra Great Britain has another queen whose personal influence will duplicate in some degree the long and noble example of Victoria, the mother of the reigning king. In the present instance the queen's interference has been exercised only after much provocation in the way of public scandals growing out of the gambling habit among English society women. The evil, from all accounts, has grown to enormous proportions and includes some of the most distinguished members of the royal social set. Bridge whist scandals are said to be of common occurrence, and the fair name of more than one social favorite has been smirched as a consequence.

It is a deplorable fact that gambling has become a social pastime among women, not only in England, but in the United States. Technically there may be no more harm in a woman's gambling than the same practice on the part of a man, but the moral and social influence exerted appears to be more harmful. As the evil is largely a fad, Queen Alexandra's brave and positive stand against it may have the effect of diminishing it in English society, and this result, by the present law of social affinity between the two countries, may result in its elimination from American society.

Anomalous Politics.

A most peculiar situation in English politics has resulted from the agitation of the tariff question, and the unprecedented spectacle is presented in parliament of a cabinet divided and the government depending upon the opposition to avert defeat. On the one hand is Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, opposing the policy of Mr. Ritchie, chancellor of the exchequer, and advocating the policy of protection for the ostensible purpose of securing a closer union of the colonies with the mother country. On the other hand is the majority of the cabinet standing for traditional free trade and supporting Mr. Ritchie and his decree removing the duty from flour and grain.

The protectionist sentiment has taken such hold upon the Conservative party that Nationalist and Liberal votes are welcomed as the only means to avert a defeat or amendment of the budget. The Liberals are free traders by tradition; the Nationalists are temporarily friendly to the government as the sponsor for the Irish land purchase bill. Between them they will perpetuate the Conservative administration. It is, indeed, a remarkable situation and one that would be intolerable in this country. It remains to be seen whether it can long endure in England. To American eyes this appears to be impossible, for we are taught in the motto of Kentucky: "United we stand, divided we fall."

If the signs portend anything it is that the next great issue in Great Britain will be the tariff. Mr. Chamberlain will lead the forces of protection, whether as Liberal-Unionist or Conservative. The Liberal party will rally to the old cry of free trade with which it marched to victory so many years ago. What the outcome will be it is not easy to predict. Free trade may win in one or two campaigns, but if protectionist sentiment continues to grow as it has grown during the past five years, the time when the tariff will be restored in England is not far distant. Every autonomic British colony is protectionist now.

Parallels of Duty.

In certain publications in the newspapers during a couple of days past, his honor, the mayor, is represented as saying certain things, and the city solicitor is represented as saying certain other things as the representative of his honor, which, when considered together, indicate that, in the opinion of the man at the top, lines of official and private obligation to the public do not exactly parallel each other. We call attention to it merely as an interesting fact that will bear thought and study. The city solicitor is quoted as having said that he has been asked for an official opinion as to whether the police ought to stop the sale of liquor in disorderly houses; that "legally there is no question about the right to do so, but it is a question of policy." He is further quoted that "the sale of liquor in such places is clearly illegal," but "I understand it is desired that I formulate some plan for regulating this matter (the social evil) and whether the sale of liquor in such places should be stopped or not is one of the questions before me." On the other hand, the mayor is represented as animadverting against persons who rent properties to the keepers of disorderly houses and is said to have hinted that the subject of exposing them and perhaps of proceeding against them is under consideration. But if the administration is considering the regulation instead of the suppression of disorderly houses, how can it consistently deal harshly with persons who rent disorderly houses? If it isn't wrong for the administration to continue such places by regulation that will amount to approval, is it any more wrong for owners of property to rent for purposes pronounced "clearly illegal?" Has a property owner any greater obligation to the public than rests on officials charged with execution of the law? And if persons who use houses for disorderly purposes are to be tolerated in the unlicensed sale of liquor, how can the persons who rent to them be rebuked according to law or otherwise? It would appear to an ordinary observer that the owner and the user of the property are in the same boat with regard to a policy of regulation, and it would appear to the same person that the administration and the property owner will have to sink or swim together on the question of obligation to the public. Perhaps after thinking it over the parallelism will be clearer to the administration vision.

The Vice Presidency.

A New York interviewer asked Gov. Yates of Illinois, who recently passed through that city on his way to Europe, if, in case the vice presidential nomination should be tendered him in 1904, he would accept. "No; I would not," said the governor. "There is only one position which I consider higher than being governor of Illinois. I think that answers the question."

It does answer the question so far as Gov. Yates may feel on the subject now, but it also reveals that gentleman's lack of real political wisdom and party fealty. Gov. Yates may not be even mentioned for the vice presidency in the Republican convention of 1904, but his long distance declination is none the less unpolitic. Greater men than Gov. Yates have been confronted much more definitely with that proposition, and while they have doubtless felt the same disinclination to accept have been too loyal to their party's call to refuse the office. History has recorded some queer incidents in connection with the drafting of men to serve in the second place on the national tickets, but it has never recorded the fact that a party man who flatly and persistently refused the honor in answer to the unanimous call of his party ever amounted to much politically thereafter.

Logan did not want to be Blaine's running mate in 1884, but when faced with the actual demand he was too wise to decline it. Hendricks, who had presidential aspirations, was placed in the same position concerning the Democratic ticket, while in 1888 Judge Thurman of Ohio was forced into second place with a man who was in many respects his inferior in political strength and prestige, Roosevelt, as everybody knows, did not want to be the vice presidential candidate in 1900. He had his ambitions fixed for the first place in 1904, but when circumstances fell together at Philadelphia making his nomination imperative, Mr. Roosevelt was far too astute and loyal to jeopardize his party standing by refusing absolutely to accept the honor.

It is amusing to hear men who have risen to party prominence and heard the presidential bee, rejecting incisively the idea of becoming vice presidential candidates. The office is one of great honor, besides being a duty for which the party has the right to draft any man, and when one is so drafted it will mean his political death if he declines for no other reason than personal choice.

The season is upon us when men go where they don't want to go, eat what they don't want to eat and pay twice as much for it as it is worth and call the whole business "a vacation."

It summers like the present one
Had oeen the rule and rhyme,
The chances are we'd never heard
"In the Good Old Summer Time."

What dust and dirt the wind doesn't blow in one's face along Fifth avenue these days the street repairers and cleaners will manage to put on the pedestrian by some means.

Since Chicago's restaurant strike men have found it convenient to go home to their meals who formerly were so busy that they had to eat downtown.

Of course the numerous labor strikes are pretty bad for the country, but just think what would happen if capital should take a few days off from work.

The incoming of the southern watermelon would seem to indicate that there are some sections of the country that have enjoyed summer weather.

Now that the girl graduate has tackled the questions of political economy and good government the country is safe.

As a convention city Pittsburgh is demonstrating this week that she can be both grave and gay at the same time.

Vice presidential horses are being groomed in the privacy of the stables. It is too early yet for paddock exercise.

Now that we have found Wilkes Booth again why not take a try at locating Charley Ross and Pat Crowe?

Chicago's laundry strike has been called off and the celluloid collar retired from Chicago's swell social functions.

Doubtless Mayor Hays understands that a Civic league is not always civil in its treatment of men and things.

The Dancing Masters' association of America waltzed into business yesterday at Braun's hall, in the East End.

Gov. Yates of Illinois has gone to Paris. Consul Gowdy will doubtless take a day off and show the sights.

If the Citizens party has any idea of committing suicide it certainly has all the rope it needs now.

Count Cassini is reminded that the returns are just beginning to come in from China.

SHAME OF A STATE.

The story of the lynching of a colored assassin in the town of Belleville, Ill., reads exactly like a description of a cannibalistic orgy among some of the most debased and savage of the tribes of which there is any record or account. There is and can be nothing more horrible, nothing more degrading in its effect upon the people who witnessed it, or upon the people of the country at large who learn this awful lesson of disregard of law and of the instincts of humanity, than that awful scene and act in a great, intelligent state like Illinois, in the heart of this republic.

Gen. O. O. Howard, it is reported, will head a movement to send the missionary into the heart of the Kentucky mountains, where assassination holds sway. The missionary is needed also in Illinois and teachers are needed everywhere in this fair land, it seems, to inculcate the lesson of respect for authority and to show in the clearest light the terrible results, as exhibited in this Belleville affair, of permitting mad passions to take the place of the law of the land.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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Belleville is not a cross-roads hamlet isolated from the rest of the world. It is a city with a population of 18,000 or more. It is within a short distance of St. Louis and it has railways to keep it in touch with civilization. Yet a Belleville mob, "principally business and professional men," took a negro from the jail, beat him until he was half dead, hanged him to a telephone pole in the public square and completed the horror by burning his body. The crime with which the negro was charged, a cold-blooded and murderous assault upon the county superintendent of schools, was undoubtedly atrocious, but southern communities will be quick to point out that it was not the kind of crime which in the case of most southern lynchings is alleged to be an excuse and extenuation for mob murder.

Illinois must clear its name of the stain of this hideous crime. It is of the highest importance that the authorities at Belleville should take the mob leaders into custody and make them answer for this atrocity in a court of law. One such lesson will have exemplary effect and evidently the lesson is needed.—Chicago News.

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Doubtless comment in the south will seize upon the Belleville horror as an example of barbarism in the north that matches the Mississippi or Texas pattern. It is little palliation for the disgrace of Illinois that this crime was committed near the southern border of that district where the percentage of illiteracy has been so high as to marr for its mental darkness the nickname of "Egypt," or that the crowds whose morbid curiosity drew them to the scene came over the line from Mississippi, Arkansas and Kentucky. Regardless of sectional prejudice, this atrocity cries aloud for expiation.—New York Mail and Express.

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The crime that was committed by a mob in Belleville, Abraham Lincoln's state, by a demonpossessed mob, on Saturday night, is a tragedy of the kind that admonishes us to be temperate in our judgment and our censure of the crimes of other peoples at home. Every person who participated in that deed of shame was guilty of murder, and of murder for which no plea of extenuation can be entered. The people of Illinois must insist that the murder of Wyatt shall be expiated on the gallows, and that no mercy shall be shown to those who took part in the crime.—Brooklyn Times.

MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM.

Just about the hour when you're slipping into sleep,
And the fairies of your dreams their watch begin to keep,
A semi-conscious feeling of some evil makes you stir,
And you imagine that you're in a Russian massacre.
The wails and shrieks of helpless women ring out loud and long,
And with a mighty effort you rise up to right the wrong.
Then the language that you use is likely to be hard
When you find it's only two old tom-cats in the yard.

Mari-er-rier-rier-rier!
Marier! frer! firer! liar!
Mari-a-s-sat! schnit! wow!
Got no right here anyhow!
Biff! ouch! swat!
You're it—not!
Whoff! whoop! tear! swear!
Mouths full of hides and hair!
Only two old tom-cats in a duel!

When the din of battle ends you go back to your bed
And on the pillow softly lay your agitated head.
You drop into a restful doze that comes like healing balm,
But just when your repose takes on a sweet, angelic calm,
The night is spilt wide open with a fierce and fiendish yell,
And as you rise you wish that every tom-cat was in—well,
You grab whatever comes to hand and hurl with all your might—
But the wicked toms go right on fighting out their little fight.

Mari-er-rier-rier-rier!
Marier! frer! firer! liar!
Mari-a-s-sat! schnit! wow!
Got no right here anyhow!
Biff! ouch! swat!
You're it—not!
Whoff! whoop! tear! swear!
Mouths full of hides and hair!
How you throw things through the air!
How you wish that you were there
With an ax to help those tom-cats fight their duel!

—Josh Wink, in Baltimore American.

The Quiet Observer.

ERASMUS WILSON.

Bigness is not necessarily greatness, nor is fame a guarantee of goodness.

The big ferris wheel, which won so much fame during the Chicago world's fair, was recently sold under the hammer to a Chicago junk dealer for $1,800. The first cost of the outfit was $362,000, and there is outstanding against it at present bonds amounting to $200,000, and an additional debt of $100,000 floating over and around it.

It was the greatest thing at the fair in point of bigness, but it was by no means a great success, neither as a money-maker, nor as a pleasure producer. In fact, it was a failure from start to finish, and for the simple reason that there was no demand for it. The people did not want it, and they wouldn't have it, not even if it was advertised as the biggest thing on earth, in the wheel line. It was only a toy, yet it did not look like one. Its promises of pleasure, like its promises to pay, were unfulfilled.

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The biggest man in a community is not necessarily the greatest man, nor is the most famous man the best.

In fact, the fellow who travels on the reputation of being the biggest man in his town is usually better known abroad than at home. To hear him tell it he is a big un, sure, and he generally has quite a lot of admiring friends. He is popular because he knows everybody, and takes it for granted that everybody is glad of it, and proud of the fact that they know him.

This man may occupy more space than half a dozen of the best members of the community, and be more widely known than the judge of the court, the sheriff, the most popular preacher, the leading banker, or retired business man, and yet not have as much influence at home as a school district politician. He is built for show—something on the plan of the ferris wheel.

You may know more such, but they have been heard of almost everywhere, like the big beast that escapes from the circus every year to stir up talk about the show.

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Man is a great animal, and no mistake. And he is a good thing, too. Of course there will be an exception to the rule now and again, but that won't matter in the final round-up. To be too awfully good would spoil the play entirely. Shakespeare must have known this, for he says in "Measure for Measure:"

"They say best men are moulded out of faults;
And for the most, become much more the better
For being a little bad."

That is; if men were all good, none would be given any credit, one being no better than another.

If there was as strong a rivalry among men as to which shall be the better as there is as to which shall be the richer, it would not be long until the really bad man would disappear.

Why not get up some such rivalry among boys? While their blood is young and hot they are filled with the spirit of rivalry, and a most commendable spirit it is, for when properly directed it is certain to carry the boy, or the man, much nearer the more desirable goals than if he is content to drift, or depends upon being carried along by friends.

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We are all a little bad—some a little badder, and some still worse, but we, the people, the men and women, are willing to confess to being a little bad. To this we would respectfully submit that we want to be better, and will be if the Lord does not call us hence before time, place and opportunity are offered, examined and accepted for this our betterment.

We will all do better when we are better learned to doing right things in a right way and at a right time. Not that we don't know right from wrong now, but that we have learned it by rote instead of having had it bred into our natures. Great reforms and social evolutions are not achieved by resolution merely, but by effecting great changes in the feelings of the people. It sometimes requires a long time to change a long-cherished sentiment, or to reverse our feelings toward established customs and habits.

We think it is not right, but very wrong, to continue the defects and diseases that have been engendered in the race for so long, yet we cannot see how it will be possible to have only the fittest marry so that the fittest will long survive. What would become of the unfit? What right have we to deny them the privilege of marrying?

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We have no right to do so, but suppose we say that consumptives, for instance, shall marry consumptives. Let this be done and nature will do the rest. Where such a union does not develop a double resistance to the abnormal tendency it will weaken the resistance to such a degree that the individual will succumb to exist, it will naturally and gracefully cease trying to live.

Stop mingling good blood with bad and the bad will soon disappear. But as long as we continue to feed germs of disease which infest bad blood with good blood we may be guilty of encouraging disease, cultivating mental and moral defects, and favoring degeneration of the race.

Therefore, let the healthy, hearty and strong mingle through marriage, thereby insuring a healthy, hearty and strong race.

Also allow the weak, defective and degenerate to marry and be wed in marriage among themselves, as is practiced by some nationalities, as well as by social classes and religious orders. If the product of such marriages is fit to exist it will continue to do so; but if unfit, its race from the cradle to the grave will be short.

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Mr. Quiet Observer—Whether the subject be popular or not, the agitation of the reasons for the decadence of man, physically, morally and mentally, should be continued not only by such as President Roosevelt, the Rev. Mr. Thompson of Philadelphia, yourself and such others as have the public ear, but also by those whose vital interests you discuss; for it must be admitted that the opinions of many are largely moulded by the expressions of others, and especially by men of distinction.

The president started the discussion by his utterance in favor of large families, and others have continued it by referring to the present small families, the ailments and disabilities of a large number of mankind, and the possible need of legislation for the purpose and aim of restraining and prohibiting physically or morally defective persons from marrying.

Now, Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Thompson and yourself, and all others who may be discussing the same subject, do you think that such laws and regulations would be effective? Admitted that the offspring of such parents will be favorably impressed physically and mentally, and that such a system might improve the race; but what do you propose to do with the illegitimate children which would surely result in your allowing only perfect beings to marry? Think you, that simply because laws are enacted to regulate marriages of perfect beings, there will be a quiet submission to such laws by the large majority of persons, the imperfect ones?

A large part of the ills and disorders of mankind are directly traceable to ignorance. If all men could grasp and apply the fact that conditions of the mind reflect themselves in the body the victory would be more than half won. Many are unable to believe in the complete control of the body by the mind because they have not had the matter presented to them properly.

We lack teachers, men who are able to dispose of the mind, who are fitted to bring knowledge and experience gained by years of study and practice and who are able to tell simply and in plain words the truths of proper living to us who need it.

We must also not overlook that we already have a class of men who are supposed to give us the proper light to make us better men and women. I refer to the members of the ministry. They should not fear to point out the faults and dangers in plain and unmistakable language. If they would their work would be much grander, and the results would be more practicable and lasting. At present they are too theoretical and too timid.

The people are crying for knowledge. Their souls thirst for it. They are fully aware of the wrongs, but their minds must be trained, their ideas changed and their ignorance wiped out before man will approach even that state of physical perfection at present the attribute of the lower animals, the cause of envy by their lord and master, man. —J. D. W.

Looking to the Cause.

Perhaps that projection on Mars is simply a device of some kind from which the people up there are trying to fire a reply to the message forwarded by Nikola Tesla a few years ago.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Happy Rooters.

The cup of the Pittsburgh baseball rooter has finally slopped over with happiness.—Oil City Blizzard.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

(By Private Wire to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, June 9.—Wall street seldom misses a day without sending forth some sensation. This afternoon it was that a new and powerful bull pool, including some big Pittsburgh interests, had been formed in United States Steel. It was not easy to run down the report to its source, but the fact that everyone was talking about it prevented it sinking out of sight. The point is made that at present prices the entire issue of United States Steel common represents only $150,000,000, and that a pool putting up $10,000,000 could easily handle all the stock in sight around present prices. There have been rumors of this kind affecting different stocks for several days, and the wise ones of the street are prepared for anything that may turn up, ready to take advantage of it for their own benefit.

Incidents in Ammon Trial.

Now that the jury to try Robert A. Ammon has been filled again the trial is going ahead valiantly. A remarkable incident took place yesterday. Counsel for Ammon asked, while a witness for the prosecution was testifying, that all other witnesses for the people should be excluded. The judge granted the request and nearly a dozen persons got up and went out. Then the assistant district attorney asked that witnesses for the defense also should be excluded, but no one moved. It appeared as if Ammon had no witnesses. Evidently he is strong in the righteousness of his cause. At least, that was the explanation given by one of his friends.

Fog Frets the Yachtsmen.

Fog continued to trouble the racing yachts today. It lay heavy over the water much of the time, lifting only at intervals. The captains and crews were anxious and the wealthy owners who were on deck to see what could be done under certain conditions on the open sea were nervously pacing up and down. But the weather would not be hurried one way or the other, and no one knew, after the boats got away from the starting line, what had happened until the wireless message began to hurtle over to the mainland.

Big Chief's Roll in Proportion.

"Big Bill" Devery says he likes a fighter. For that reason he bailed Samuel Parks, the walking delegate, who is in trouble on suspicion of taking money unlawfully in connection with strikes. Bill had a roll as big as a boy's leg when he offered himself as security for $3,000 by producing the cash. It is told by awe-stricken witnesses that the roll was largely made up of thousand dollar bills, and that there were enough of them to make a suit of clothes.

Going Down to the Sea in Ships.

The pier of the Albany day line at West Twenty-second street and the Hudson river line is one of the busiest places along this harbor front. The excursion up the Hudson to Newburg or West Point is a favorite one, to say nothing of the continuous passenger traffic between New York and Albany. The pier is crowded most of the time and on Sundays more especially. One reason is that the pier is used also for the Coney Island and Rockaway boats. No matter whether it is raining or not there are plenty of people who want to go to Coney every day and the easiest and pleasantest way is by water. As for Rockaway, why the principal joy of a visit to that resort is being rocked in the arms of old ocean for the few minutes that one gets the full benefit of the Atlantic swell outside the mouth of the Narrows.

Trying Time for Subway Laborers.

Subway laborers have had a sloppy time of it for the last two days. It is possible that work would have been stopped in the heavy rain of yesterday, and that it would not have been resumed generally, even today, on account of the threatening clouds. But there has been so much time wasted over the tunnel on account of the strikes of the last few weeks that contractors are not allowing themselves to be held back by anything so long as men can be found to work. The tunnel must be open by New Years day if it is in the wood.

A Woman, a Pitcher and a Burglar.

There is a plucky woman in Manhattan who is still telling her neighbors this evening what she did to a burglar early this morning. The fellow had robbed a house and was retreating with his swag by a fire escape, which led past this woman's bedroom to the roof of the house. She saw the man beginning to climb the fire escape, and knowing by her woman's intuition, doubtless, what he intended to do, she seized a water pitcher and waited. When he got opposite her window she threw the pitcher at his head and screamed. She missed him, of course, but that has nothing to do with it. She frightened the chap so that he went up the remaining steps of the fire escape like a monkey, gained the roof and got away. The swag was recovered. If the woman had not thrown the pitcher the man might have got away with his booty. But who is to pay for the pitcher? That is what the heroic little woman wants to know.

Wanted—Automobile Top-Piece for Women.

Why does not someone invent an automobile hat for women which will be becoming as well as useful? Women who ride in motor cars, and there are thousands of them in New York, complain that every hat for feminine motorists makes them look touch, or makes them look like "guys," and that is still worse. The problem is actually a serious one, judging by the way it is discussed among women, and unless some inventive genius comes to the rescue it may have a depressing effect on the automobile trade. That is what an automobile dealer in Thirty-eighth street said to me this afternoon and he did not smile as he spoke either.

Chickens Are Roosting High.

One of the sad consequences in New York of the drought is that chickens are abnormally high in price. Hens will not hatch chickens in dry, hot weather with the freedom with which they do it when conditions are pleasanter, and poultrymen are making the most of this fact. If you want to buy a chicken which shall give a good account of itself on the table when roasted or fried, you must pay 27 cents a pound. Even "broilers" command 90 cents, which any Pittsburgh housewife knows is a high figure for these usually unsatisfactory specimens of the feathered creation.

Latest Russian Sensation.

Russia has been supplying its full share of sensational news since the first reports of the Kishineff massacres reached this city. Now it is giving us something else. Miss Ida H. Blackman is a native of Russia, although she has become Americanized to such a point that she talks good English and is seeking a public office. She has applied for citizenship and probably she will get what she wants in that way. After that she wants to be made an inspector of tenements and the chances are she will get that too. There is nothing slow about Miss Blackman.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York Hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
R. P. Hague.
D. L. Browne.
R. B. Mellon.

Holland.
W. L. Mellon.
R. E. Clemson.
Mrs. S. G. Jones.

Manhattan.
G. A. Macbeth.
W. S. Kuhn.
Mrs. Kuhn.
Thomas Schultz.

Fifth Avenue.
Thomas S. Bigelow.
Miss Mary Bigelow.
Thomas S. Morgan.

Victoria.
John E. Ross.
E. G. Frank.
W. K. Ostorn.
S. B. Goucher.

Imperial.
Mrs. Herrmann.
F. H. Sugeniug.
Mrs. Bruening.
H. M. Morris.

Broadway Central.
H. Rosenbloom.

Westminster.
M. W. Mead.

Hoffman.
C. A. Birle.
E. F. Duffy.

Gilsey.
A. O. Vetter.
Mrs. Vetter.

Grand.
J. L. Cooper.
Mrs. Cooper.

Herald Square.
James F. Sullivan.
C. A. Steen.

Navarre.
Murray Keller.

Netherland.
C. Aaron.
L. I. Aaron.

Continental.
P. C. Guerin.
L. N. Guerin.

St. Denis.
J. M. Morrison.
E. N. Roe, Jr.
L. J. Roe.

Astor.
J. S. Bravo.
C. M. Foster.

Burlington.
F. H. Hartley.
Mrs. Hartley.

Down the St Louis Pike.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

The St. Louis Midway is to be called "The Pike," and the things that will come down that avenue in the near future can be better imagined than described.

The Gazette Almanac.

(Read and Hand to a Sick Friend.)

Weather indications are for cooler around City hall following the recent period of storms. A combination umbrella and parasol should be carried this morning. If the one misses, the other is pretty certain to prove valuable. No ocean breeze.

THE WHITEWASH GANG.
(Fred Clarke Soliloquizes.)

Heigh ho! but we are the busy lads,
And we have no time to spare,
For we have to catch the Quaker boys
And rub it well in their hair.
Don't try to stop us,
No one can drop us,
You had better get out of the way—
For I am Boss of the Whitewash Gang,
And this is our busy day.

A beautiful picture we will paint,
With the realism right—
Background green as the Emerald Isle,
With the figures robed in white;
Some sprinkling of dirt
Will do little hurt,
As our subjects must not be too gay,
For I am Boss of the Whitewash Gang,
And this is our busy day.

Our fame as Artists is widely spread,
They know us well in New York,
And the Emerson club of Boston
Has spoken well of our work;
In one western town
They say, with a frown,
These Pirates are getting too gay—
But that doesn't worry the Whitewash Gang,
When having a busy day.

Tambourine—Do you believe in signs?
Bones—Not since entering a room with a "painless dentistry" sign on the door.

People will ever try to improve on the wisdom of the true philosophers—evidence the women who use the skin as but the ground for the building of beauty.

SCIENCE AND LOVE.

They were sitting on the lawn in the dewy evening. The conversation started with "the delightful weather" and drifted along till finally they were discussing the apparent happiness and contentment of some of their married friends. Suddenly the youth became nervous and ill at ease.

"He's going to propose," was the thought that flashed through the mind of the maiden, and she settled herself to receive the "sudden" proposition which she had been expecting for months.

"Chiggers ain't supposed to exist this far north, but I'll bet money I've found one," he said, shifting his position.

The summer picnic days have come
And we have got a hunch,
That you'll find wood ticks in your clothes
And insects in your lunch.

THOSE LOVING GIRLS.

Dolly—Why Clarice, I am so glad to see you again. Seems an age since you moved from our neighborhood.

Clarice—How time does fly! But you don't seem to grow a day older. You look just as you did when mamma used to spank me because I would not call you Miss Gordon.

LIKE MARY'S LITTLE LAMB.

A gentleman in immaculate white duck—from his hat to his shoes—parading along Fifth avenue last night created as much of a sensation as the high hat in Texas, barring the fire arms. All unconscious of the remark he created, he walked along, while everybody seemed to think only of that consecrated perversion of "Mary's Lamb."

"Mary had a little lamb,
Its fleece was white as snow,
It followed her to Pittsburgh
And took at the girl dern tuing now."

While white duck is very pleasant summer wear, last evening's innovation is not likely to prove the fad in downtown Pittsburgh—unless laundry men are the creators—notwithstanding that one of a party of young women remarked that it was "just too sweet for any use."

The City Depository Ordinance.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

You inadvertently made a mistake this morning in your report of the ordinance relating to city depositories introduced in councils last evening. You state that the city treasurer shall have power to select three additional banks as depositories, when you meant to say that he would have the power to select three national banks as active depositories. I may state for your information that the ordinance does not reduce the depositories to three, but, on the contrary, at least 13 of the most prominent and responsible banks are immediately eligible, with a possible 23 in number if they conform with the requirements of the ordinance. I am sure that this will scatter the city funds as far as any reasonable person could ask.

In brief, let me give you a few reasons why the ordinance proposed is a good one:

First—It provides a safe place for the deposit of the city funds.

Second—The distribution is equitable and fair to the taxpayer.

Third—It will do away with political favoritism in the selecting of depositories.

Fourth—The depository banks will be large enough to handle the city's business and banks should be always selected by their depositors with that ability in view.

Fifth—The rate of interest, while important, is not a paramount consideration, but in the opinion of all conservative financiers an account, such as the city of Pittsburgh, should not receive a higher rate than 2 per cent on daily balances.

Sixth—The proposed ordinance has been in preparation for a year and has been carefully drafted after a thorough study of the experience of other first-class cities and has the approval of experienced financiers, public officials and responsible citizens of Pittsburgh.

Seventh—It is highly desirable to settle this matter permanently at this time and not expose the city administration and the banks to the scandals which have heretofore prevailed in this city for the past 20 years in relation to the use of public funds.

Eighth—While a higher rate of interest than 2 per cent would be an apparent profit to the city, in the opinion of many, would not be an actual one for the reason that there would be a degree of constant temptation and excuse for bond issues and excessive millage to pile up the money in the banks to remain there at interest, as has been done for years, whereas the proper administration of municipal finances would be to raise just sufficient money by taxation or bond issue to meet the wants of the city government honestly and economically administered. Very truly yours,

June 9, 1903. JAMES H. WILLOCK.

Answers to Correspondents.

Daily Reader, Duquesne, Pa.—Sheriff, district attorney, prothonotary, jury commissioners and director of the poor.

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THIRTEENTH WARD PEOPLE TO APPEAL AGAIN TO COUNCILS

Mayor Hays Says He Can Do Nothing to Take Hospital Out of City.

PECULIAR MOVE AT MEETING

Eleventh Ward Councilmen Attend Conference at City Hall and Meet Afterwards With Mayor—T. S. Bigelow Promises Aid and Leaves the City.

The people of the Thirteenth ward will ask councils to instruct Director Moore of the department of public safety to stop work immediately on the new municipal hospital until an ordinance can be passed to purchase the Andrews farm in Robinson township as a site. The decision was arrived at yesterday after a conference of a delegation of the Thirteenth ward people and council representatives of the Thirteenth and Eleventh wards, with Mayor Hays.

At the conference were Councilmen Schad and McNally of the Thirteenth ward; Lamb and Fitzpatrick of the Eleventh. The Thirteenth ward contingent is making the fight, and insisted that the Eleventh ward councilmen, belonging also to the hill district, go with them. The Eleventh ward councilmen, however, turned the trick on their Thirteenth ward colleagues by afterward conferring with Mayor Hays.

It is alleged that the representatives of the Eleventh ward, while in the same district, are not in sympathy with the movement to get rid of the municipal hospital, but will go along with the administration to defeat the project without openly falling out with the Thirteenth ward until after the next election.

Last fall the people of the Thirteenth ward got a resolution through councils to stop the construction of the new municipal hospital until a bill had been passed by the legislature giving the city power to locate the hospital outside of the city.

The resolution was vetoed by Recorder Brown, but was adopted over the recorder's veto. Despite this Director Leslie determined to go ahead with the construction of the new hospital on the old site, claiming that it was a necessity, but he was stopped by an injunction obtained by the Thirteenth ward people.

This injunction was dismissed last week by the courts and the Thirteenth ward people now propose to ask councils to adopt another resolution to stop work on the new hospital.

Mayor Hays told the delegation of the Thirteenth ward councilmen and citizens that he would look into the matter, and promised that if they should get an ordinance through councils to buy the Andrews farm he would not veto it. He did not state, however, what councils might do.

The mayor told them that he would not stop the contractors from going ahead and the only thing to do was to ask councils to pass another resolution instructing the director of public safety to stop the contractors.

The members of the Thirteenth ward delegation stated that Thomas S. Bigelow had promised Monday, before he left for New York, that he was in favor of removing the hospital outside of the city, but the city administration shows no signs of stopping the work.

WILL GRADUATE ENTIRE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS

The Homestead school board yesterday decided to allow the entire high school class of 29 members to graduate on June 24. The board had formerly compelled the graduating classes to make an average of not less than 80, but three of the class this year went slightly below that mark, and the members decided that they should be allowed to pass, as the average is higher than any other town or city in Western Pennsylvania. The school term hereafter will be 10 months instead of nine.

Accident at a Brewery.

The floor of the engine room of the Straub plant of the Pittsburgh Brewing Company gave away yesterday morning, letting a 50-ton ice machine, a five-ton dynamo and a three-ton gas engine fall about 25 feet into an old vault. Last night a large force of men was building up a new wall under the building and preparing to hoist the machinery out of the hole. The damage will reach several thousand dollars, in addition to the stopping of the brewery.

WOULDN'T RIDE IN NON-UNION HACK

NEW HAVEN, CONN., June 9.—(Special.)—Pall-bearers at the funeral of Thomas Morton today refused to ride in a hack driven by a non-union driver provided for them by the bereaved family, and took trolley cars to the cemetery and there awaited the arrival of the hearse.

Warships Called Off.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The orders issued yesterday for American ships to go to Valparaiso have been revoked owing to the receipt of a cablegram from Minister Wilson, which indicates that their presence is not needed.

KING EDWARD HONORS WHITE HOUSE ARCHITECT

Although Work Has Been Severely Criticised Here It Is Admired in England.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 9.

Officials here were surprised at the news that King Edward intended to confer the royal gold medal given each year to a leading architect of the world on Charles F. McKim, the man who remodeled the White House. As this medal is given annually to some one who has accomplished eminent work it is presumed that King Edward thinks Mr. McKim's renovation of the White House a signal feat. The news that King Edward intended to honor him was conveyed to Mr. McKim through the British embassy. The medal will be given on June 22 when the king will attend the annual meeting of the royal institute of British architects in London. The meeting will be followed by a banquet at which Mr. McKim will be the guest of honor.

There is much speculation here as to the reasons of the British monarch's selection of Mr. McKim. The renovation of the White House has been criticised and it is well-known that even the President and Mrs. Roosevelt were greatly disappointed at the work. They have refused to express any sentiment publicly regarding it, but their views were frequently given to close friends and they were not very complimentary to Mr. McKim. The work was severely criticised in congress. Another significant fact is that the president about a month ago dismissed Mr. McKim and placed Col. Symons, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, in charge of the unfinished contract.

BLOW WITH A BRICK MAY KILL A CHILD

Justice J. B. Jones of Homestead yesterday issued a warrant for John Mallin, a Slav coal miner of Willock, who is charged with striking a 4-year-old son of George Augustic with a brick, inflicting injuries that may result in the child's death. The child was playing near Mallin's home, when the latter, it is alleged, picked up a brick and hit him on the head. Mallin escaped.

MONEY IN MATTRESS IN BURNING HOUSE

An over-heated stove caused a fire in the house of Frank Mankinny, No. 2310 Sarah street, South Side, yesterday morning. Michael McDermott said he had $500 hidden in a mattress of the upper bedroom and asked permission to get it, but was refused. Patrolman James Seaman entered the building, found the money and turned it over to McDermott.

BRADDOCK ODDFELLOWS TO DEDICATE HALL

Braddock's Field lodge No. 529, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Braddock, will dedicate its new hall in Eighth street, Braddock, on June 20. The dedication will be in charge of Grand Master Samuel Siegle, assisted by other grand lodge officers and visiting members of the order from throughout the state.

Burglars in Homestead.

Thieves entered the home of Mike Roogan, a Slav, in Third avenue, Homestead, yesterday and stole two watches, three railroad tickets and $10 in money. The home of Charles Peters nearby was also entered, but nothing of value was secured. David Chestnut's home in Hays borough was robbed early yesterday morning of $50 and several small articles of jewelry. A large bundle of stolen clothing was afterwards found in the yard.

DEATHS.

CARMODY—On Monday, June 8, 1903, at 1:35 a. m., at his father's residence, No. 248 Forty-fourth street, CHARLES PRICE, only son of M. A. and Mary Carmody (nee Mahony), in his 11th year.

Funeral on Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's church, Forty-sixth street, at 9. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DAVIS—On Tuesday, June 9, 1903, at 5:20 a. m., NEWTON J., beloved husband of Mamie Davis (nee Robinson), and son of Mary and the late John E. Davis, aged 29 years, 10 months, 14 days.

Funeral services at his mother's residence, No. 9 Thirteenth street, South Side, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DICKSON—On Tuesday evening, June 9, 1903, at her home, 244 Steuben avenue, Crafton, Pa., BERTHA LEONA, youngest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth R. and the late William A. Dickson, formerly of Midway.

Funeral services at the home of her mother, at Crafton, Pa., on Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

FRALICH—On June 9, at 11:45 a. m., at her residence, Glenfield, Pa., ROSWELL R. FRALICH, eldest son of Edmond C. and Kate Frisbee Fralich, aged 34 years, 7 months and 16 days.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of his brother-in-law, Milton I. Baird, Glenfield, at 1 p. m. Thursday, June 11. Interment private. Train leaves Ft. Wayne station, Allegheny, at 12:15 p. m., city time.

HOXWORTH—On Tuesday, June 9, 1903, at 8 p. m., at the residence of his father, James Hoxworth, 2318 Western avenue, PERRY A., husband of Florence Hoxworth (nee Baker), aged 31 years.

Funeral services at the Centenary Methodist Episcopal church, Kirkpatrick street and Wylie avenue, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private at Homewood cemetery.

JONES—On Monday, June 8, 1903, at 6 p. m., DAVID A. JONES, late of Company E, One Hundred and Second regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, and member of Encampment No. 1, U. V. L.

Funeral services at Bingham Street Methodist Episcopal church, corner Thirteenth and Bingham streets, South Side, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

VOELKER—On Sunday, June 7, 1903, at 7 p. m., MRS. ANNA ELIZABETH VOELKER (nee Volk), wife of Frederick Voelker, aged 50 years, 5 months, 18 days.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 295 Fifty-fourth street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Altoona and Connellsville (Pa.) and Cumberland (Md.) papers please copy.]

WARD—On Tuesday, June 9, 1903, at 10:35 p. m., at her late residence, No. 5401 Carnegie street, South Side, ANN WARD, wife of John Ward, in her 62nd year.

Notice of funeral in evening papers.

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Suburban residence near Pittsburgh has always had a number of serious drawbacks to persons who wish to live in a refined and agreeable neighborhood, and at the same time combine the pleasures of the country with the conveniences of the city.

One great drawback has been the amount of time consumed in going to and from the city. Another—and perhaps the greatest—is owing to the fact that many of the so-called suburbs are mere settlements that have been built up in the neighborhood of big mills or factories. Such places have all the discomforts and annoyances of the city and none of its conveniences.

Another difficulty has been that in order to let no possible purchaser escape the owners of suburban plans have allowed the property to be cut up into small lots and, as a rule, have placed no building restrictions on the purchasers. The man who invests several thousand dollars in a comfortable suburban home doesn't care to see a lot of mean shanties built in the same neighborhood and filled with a lot of undesirable tenants.

But all such contingencies have been provided against by the Mt. Lebanon Land and Trust Company, a strong local corporation, composed of well-known Pittsburgh capitalists, which has undertaken to create an ideal suburb for Pittsburgh.

The directors of the company are Justus Mulert, F. W. Mueller, Daniel Brady, Peter Hermes and James A. Fortune. The company has a paid-up capital of $125,000 and assets of $165,000. In a word, the standing of the men back of the enterprise and the company's ample financial resources give the fullest assurance that their plans will be carried to successful completion.

The name of what will undoubtedly be Pittsburgh's most charming suburb is Clearview. And it is aptly named.

Clearview is situated on the Mt. Lebanon electric car line and is about a half mile south of the historic St. Clair church at Mt. Lebanon. At present it takes 35 minutes to reach Clearview, but it is on the Mt. Washington tunnel line, which will soon be completed and will then be possible to go from the Pittsburgh postoffice to Clearview in 15 minutes. Think of it! As near to the business center of Pittsburgh as Oakland or Lawrenceville in point of time. And yet as far removed in purity of atmosphere from Pittsburgh's grime and smoke and heavy, stifling air, as the Adirondacks.

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There are 85 acres of Clearview. It is surrounded by beautiful homes and is directly opposite the charming Kuhlman homestead. Practically all the property in the immediate vicinity has been bought for home sites by well-to-do Pittsburgh people. The high character of the neighborhood as a choice residential suburb is assured.

As for Clearview itself the care that will be exercised in the selection of buyers aand the building restrictions make it absolutely certain that the high standard will be maintained. The lots are all large—none smaller that 50x135 feet. The streets are wide and are sewered and graded. There is an ample supply of natural gas and an abundance of pure water from the springs and artesian wells on the property. Clearview will have its own water works system.

Prices of lots in Clearview range from $560 to $1,250, and a few higher. A reasonable cash deposit is required when choice of lot is made, and the balance may be paid within a year in monthly or quarterly payments. There will be no interest and no taxes during the first year.

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For example, a man with $1,500 could buy a $1,000 lot, which, deducting the 10 per cent discount allowed for cash, would cost him $900. The company would then add enough to his remaining $500 to enable him to build a $3,000 or $4,000 house. And he could pay off the money advanced by the company at the rate of $35 or $40 a month. In the meantime, he would be living in his own home and would have the benefit of the great increase in the value of the property, which is certain to come as soon as the Mt. Washington tunnel line is completed.

Among the well-known Pittsburgh people already owning fine homes in the vicinity of Clearview are J. A. Long, architect, H. S. Stevenson, the artist, Mr. Brunt, treasurer of the Pittsburgh Coal Company; Albert Rose, William McCormick, Hugh Stilly, Samuel Shriner and Vincent Gilfillan. Some of those who have bought lots in Clearview with the intention of erecting homes are: E. H. Clatty, M. J. Milling, the wholesale shoe merchant; George W. Clatty, Peter Hermes and C. W. Clatty. The plans for Justus Mulert's residence are being completed.

The Pittsburgh office of the Mt. Lebanon Land and Trust Company is in the Germania Savings bank building, 421 Wood street. Today and for the next two weeks there will be an agent on the plan every day from 8 a. m. till 8 p. m. The car fare to Clearview is five cents. Take a Mt. Lebanon car in Smithfield street. Tell the conductor to let you off at Clearview.

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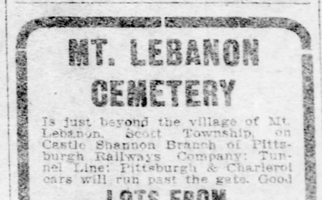

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

IN the court of common pleas, No. 1, No. 934, June term, 1903.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a lateral sewer on Wagner avenue, from Rhine avenue to Long lane, Seventh and Fourteenth wards.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1903, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

CHAS. SHIELDS,
A. B. HAY,
JOHN EMERY,
Viewers.

IN the court of common pleas, No. 1, No. 616, June term, 1903.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a lateral sewer on an unnamed alley, from Brady avenue to Langley street, Fifteenth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1903, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

CHAS. SHIELDS,
A. B. HAY,
JOHN EMERY,
Viewers.

IN the court of common pleas, No. 1, No. 611, June term, 1903.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a lateral sewer on Mont Alley, Gate street and through private property from Brady street to Herla street, Third and Twelfth wards.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1903, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

CHAS. SHIELDS,
A. B. HAY,
JOHN EMERY,
Viewers.

PENNSY'S READING INTEREST MAY GO TO THE GOULDS WHO THUS REACH NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA

Morgan, Offended by P. R.R., Will Not Turn Over Reading Stock Assigned to B. & O.

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Underwriting Pennsylvania's New Issue Said to Result in Retaliatory Plan to Making Entrance of Wabash to Trunk Line Territory Easy.

The formation of a new ownership of the Reading system, with either the Goulds in single control, or with the Gould and Vanderbilt interests allied in the control, is believed to be foreshadowed by the remarkable events in Wall street within the past week or 10 days, in which the stock of the Pennsylvania railroad has been hammered lower than was ever thought would be possible.

Back of the happenings on the stock exchange lies something far more important than mere stock jobbing operations, or even the efforts of the Gould interests to weaken the Pennsy's stock to get revenge for the destruction of the poles and wires of the Western Union Telegraph Company along the Pennsylvania railroad right of way. Something radical in the readjustment of the railroad ownership situation in the east and something hostile to the Pennsylvania's interests is believed to have been settled upon. In the recent failure of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to deal with J. P. Morgan, in the underwriting of its large new indebtedness, it is believed the reason for the change appears.

READING NATURAL ALLY GOULDS.

The Reading railroad system is the natural eastern ally of the Gould system. The Reading's lines are singularly compact, tying in the eastern part of Pennsylvania and New Jersey, connecting the anthracite region with New York, Philadelphia and other seaports, and possessing the best and most complete mining properties and facilities in the anthracite region.

With the Gould system the Reading will have two connections with no more new construction than that already planned and announced. On the south the link will be in the Cumberland valley, the Western Maryland line of the Goulds being already connected with the Reading. On the north the connection will be by Pittsburgh, where a close traffic alliance between the Wabash railroad and the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh awaits only the completion of the Wabash extension to become effective.

Close Working Alliance.

There is already a close working traffic alliance among the three lines needful to form a through route from Pittsburgh to New York through northern Pennsylvania. These are the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh to Clearfield, the Pennsylvania division of the New York Central or Beech Creek, to Williamsport and the Reading, with its controlled line, the New Jersey Central, to Jersey City. The Wabash will be the western connection of this route.

The real reason for the Wabash making such strenuous efforts to reach Allegheny by bridging the river opposite Fourth street, is to make the connection with the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh tracks by which this exchange of traffic will be made possible.

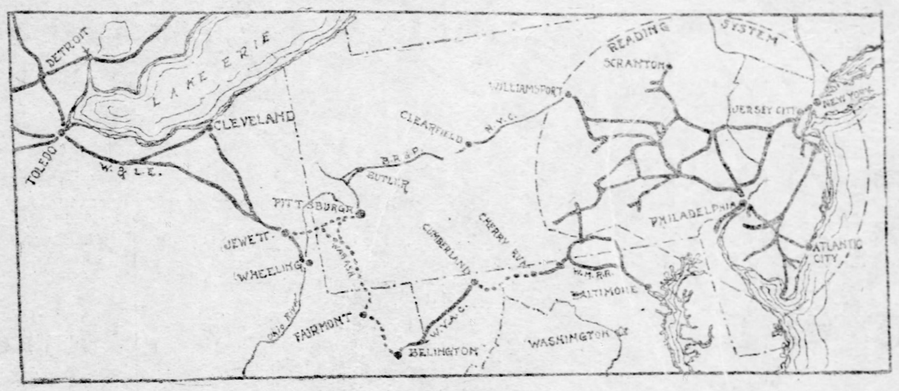
The Reading railroad is controlled by a voting trust headed by J. P. Morgan. Several months ago a deal was arranged by which the control of the Reading property was to be divided equally between the Lake Shore and the Pennsylvania, the Baltimore & Ohio representing the Pennsylvania in the deal. This deal went so far as to be officially confirmed, President Loree of the Baltimore & Ohio admitting that his road had taken its quota of the controlling stock.

Loree Not on Reading Board.

It was then reported on official authority that Mr. Loree would go on the board of the Reading company very shortly, but the months passed by and finally the annual meeting of the company was held and he still had not assumed that position.

In the meantime the apparent trouble between the Pennsylvania and Morgan had arisen and in this those who figure out the complexities of the large railroad deals believe they see the reasons why the Reading will not be allied to the Pennsylvania.

In the meantime the railroad plans of the Goulds have received open and strong backing from the Rockefeller interests, the Harriman interests and at least tacit approval from the Vanderbilt interests, leaving the Pennsylvania alone of the "community of interests" to oppose their further plans in "invading" the east. The Pennsylvania's slashing of prices did strengthen its position as a conservatively managed institution and many others than the Goulds lost money by that coup of the Cassatt combination.



How the Wabash and Reading Systems Connect.

This map shows the Reading system enclosed in a circle, in Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey. The map also shows the connections which the Wabash will have with this system on both the north and the south. The northern connection will be made from Pittsburgh over the B. R. & P. and the Beech Creek branch of the New York Central to Williamsport. The southern connection is over the Wabash extensions through Greene county to Bellington, W. Va., to connect with the West Virginia Central to Cumberland and Cherry Run, and over the Western Maryland to the junction with the Reading. The lines in the western part of the map in heavy black show the Wabash lines there. The dotted lines show the connections which are now being built.

MAYOR WELCOMES SUPREME COUNCIL

Convention of the Legion of the Red Cross in Progress at Atlantic City.

BANQUET A SWELL AFFAIR

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
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ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 9.

The 18th annual meeting of the supreme council, Legion of the Red Cross is in convention here in Odd Fellows hall with Supreme Commander H. C. Shafer of Baltimore, presiding. Mayor Stoy welcomed the delegates and extended them the freedom of the city.

The annual banquet was held tonight at the Hotel Borton. Special arrangements were made to make the affair the most elaborate which has been given in connection with any national gathering of the order. It is expected that it will take at least three days to finish up the business to be brought before the meeting.

FIRST ANNUAL YACHT CRUISE.

An imposing fleet of Atlantic City yachts will put out of the inlet Thursday morning on the first annual cruise of the Atlantic City Yacht club. There will be nine boats in the line, and they will go to Beach Haven, where they will meet fleets from Toms river, Barnegat and a number of the Philadelphia Yacht club boats.

HOSPITAL FOR NERVE TREATMENT.

Atlantic City is to have a medical college, or at least where the healing art will be taught, for the graduates of this school will administer no drugs. The founder of the school is Dr. H. Walters, the founder of mechani-neural theraphy, which has many followers here. This system of theraphy cures diseases by mechanically treating the nerves, and it seems to have grown here despite the opposition of graduates of medical colleges.

TURKISH DIPLOMAT ON BOARDWALK.

M. Massaad, formerly the second secretary of the Turkish embassy at Washington and later of New York, is here under the care of a local physician who is treating him for intestinal troubles. He is not so ill, however, but that he can take daily strolls on the boardwalk where he attracts great attention by reason of his great height and his swarthy complexion.

RACE TRACK NOW PROPOSED.

A wealthy owner of South Atlantic City property has agreed to lease a large tract of land in South Atlantic City at a small rental to an organization of local horsemen. It is his object that a half mile track be built in addition to a grandstand and stables at the expense of the organization. It is more than probable that the horse owners will accept the offer.

GOLDEN EAGLES AT THE SEASHORE.

Members of the Knights of the Golden Eagle from all parts of New Jersey came here to attend the annual field day and outing of the grand castle of New Jersey. There was to have been a grand parade of all the commanderies of New Jersey as well as several commanderies from Pennsylvania, but by some misunderstanding the orders were not issued by the commanding officer for the parade. The knights come in uniform, about 1,000 of them, and they were disappointed that the parade had to be abandoned by the local committee. Among the guests of the grand castle today was Supreme Master of Records A. C. Lyttle of Altoona.

WHERE PITTSBURGHERS REGISTERED.

The following Pittsburghers registered at the hotels named today:

DENNIS.
Mrs. J. M. Patterson.
E. M. Mooney.
Mrs. Mooney.
DUNLOP.
John Murphy.
Mrs. Murphy.
HADDON HALL.
J. Ackey.
Mr. Breed.
Mrs. Breed.
J. W. Hay.
LORAINE.
M. Lippencott.
M. Wales.
PONCE DE LEON.
W. Liggett.
RUDOLF.
J. Speer.
ROBBIN.
J. L. Graham.
ROXBOROUGH.
O. M. Howat.
Mrs. Mowat.
RITTENHOUSE.
G. Valentine.
A. Coleman.
C. Allen.
SEASIDE.
D. Williams.
Mrs. Williams.
M. Wilson.
J. Wilson.
SENATE.
N. Well.
E. A. Well.
TRAYMORE.
Miss M. C. Rogers.
Miss G. C. Irwin.
R. H. Thomas.
Mrs. Thomas.
WINCHESTER.
Le Van Meter.
M. Philip Stein.
BELMONT.
C. M. Pain.
A. T. Thorn.
BOWERS.
S. Hudson.
H. Wooten.
CHELTWOODE.
R. Goldstein.
F. J. Thorton.
EDEN HALL.
C. Morton.
J. H. Tunstall.
FREDONIA.
B. L. Faider.
Mrs. Faider.
A. H. Weaver.
Mrs. C. P. Mitchell.
Mrs. Hazel Weaver.
KILCOURSE.
H. Landon.
M. L. Hudson.
LA TOURAINE.
G. Fiedler.
J. G. Kennedy.
MORRIS.
H. H. Deakyne.
T. S. Crane.
MERVINE.
D. E. Weidel.
W. B. Barker.
ROSSMORE.
T. Black.
M. Morrow.
RIO GRANDE.
M. Dunlap.
Miss Jackson.
SILVERTON.
F. J. Cheney.
S. Marvin.
STRAND.
C. Balph.
R. B. Cruett.
VAN JOSE.
R. Wilding.
WORTHINGTON.
N. G. Frank.
Mrs. Frank.
Mrs. Geo. Irwin.
IRVIN HALL.
P. J. Brennan.
W. Burke.
WELSWORTH.
M. Jackson.
H. M. Fisher.
J. Brown.
NEW HOLLAND.
Joseph J. Klinefelter.
Mrs. Klinefelter.
Miss M. Martin.
H. F. Smyth.
NEW HYGEIA.
M. J. C. Soupp.
PENNHURST.
Mrs. A. C. Bigman.
Harriet Bigman.
REVERE.
Mrs. J. A. Bigman.
Harriet Bigman.
ST. CHARLES.
B. Ganahan.
W. C. LITTLE.

THE DEATH ROLL

Funeral of Capt. David A. Jones.

Funeral services over the remains of Capt. David Ambrose Jones, a well-known civil war veteran and city employe, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Bingham Street Methodist Episcopal church, Bingham and South Thirteenth streets. Capt. Jones died Monday evening after a long illness at his home, No. 1809 Sidney street, South Side. Capt. S. M. Duvall, president of the One Hundred and Second regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, yesterday issued an order for members of the regiment to assemble at the Bingham street church this afternoon for the funeral services. Capt. Jones was born in Wales 68 years ago, and was a son of the late Evan P. Jones. He was brought to the United States by his parents in his youth, the family settling on the South Side. When the rebellion started Capt. Jones enlisted in the One Hundred and Second regiment and took part in the engagements of the Army of the Potomac. At the battle of Cold Harbor he was wounded through both thighs, and he suffered from these wounds during the rest of his life. Capt. Jones was a familiar figure about City hall, where he had been employed for 20 years, first in the city treasurer's office, and later in the city assessor's office. He was a charter member of Col. John W. Patterson post, No. 181, serving first as commander, then as adjutant for 10 years. He was also a member of Union Veteran Legion, Encampment No. 1. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. May D., wife of Prof. F. W. Squibb of McKeesport, and also by three brothers, O. G. and William S., of Pittsburgh, Robert Jones of Philadelphia and two sisters, Mrs. Mary E. Fisher of Jeannette and Mrs. Kate Gutellius of New York.

Henry Varndell.

Henry Varndell, who had the distinction of having driven the first street railway car from Fifth avenue to the Union station, was buried last Sunday at Hopwood, Pa. Mr. Varndell was well known to residents of the South Side, having been a driver for the Pittsburgh and Birmingham Street Railway Company for 18 years, and for 12 years a toll collector on the old Tenth street bridge. During the past seven years Mr. Varndell had lived in retirement on his farm in Wharton township, Fayette county, Pa. Mr. Varndell at the age of 17 years enlisted as Uniontown, Pa., in Company F, Eleventh Pennsylvania Volunteer infantry, for the Civil war, in which he served for three years. At the battle of Fredericksburg he lost a part of his right hand. He was a member of Gen. Alexander Hays Post No. 3 and of the Union Veteran Legion Encampment No. 1 of Pittsburgh. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Riggs, wife of Dr. J. A. Riggs of the South Side, and Mrs. Rachel McGregor of Uniontown, and four sons, George of Homestead, Christopher of Hopwood and Charles and Harry, at home.

Mrs. Lulu Boyd Chalfant.

Word was received in Pittsburgh yesterday of the death of Mrs. Lulu Boyd Chalfant, wife of the Rev. W. B. Chalfant, who is the son of the Rev. W. George Chalfant of this city, at their home in Pasadena, Cal., Monday night. The interment will take place in a few days at La Grande, Mo., the former home of Mrs. Chalfant, and it is probable that Dr. Chalfant will go West with his son on that sad occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Chalfant have made Pasadena their home for the past two years. Previous to that they were active missionaries in China for 15 years.

Mrs. Catherine Kolsem's Funeral.

Mrs. Catherine Kolsem, mother of Jacob Kolsem, a former mayor of Terre Haute, Ind., and of Joseph Henry Kolsem, a member of the Brotherhood of Mary, will be buried this morning from the home of her son-in-law, Frank M. Reed, in Elliott borough. Requiem mass will be offered over her remains at St. Philomena's church, Liberty avenue and Fourteenth street, at 8:30 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Kolsem was a native of Prussia. Shortly after her marriage to Mr. Kolsem she and her husband came to America, settling in the Chartiers valley, where she had resided for over 50 years.

Rothwell R. Fralich.

Rothwell R. Fralich, 35 years old, for some years past a real estate agent in Fourth avenue, died yesterday morning at his home in Glenfield. He had been in failing health for the past two years from dropsy. Mr. Fralich before entering the real estate business was for three years district superintendent of the Federal Telephone Company. He was a member of the Glenfield Methodist church and also of the Elks.

Aaron B. Turner.

Aaron B. Turner, founder and editor of the old Grand Rapids Eagle, died yesterday, aged 81, at his home in Grand Rapids, as the result of a street car accident in Cincinnati several weeks ago. The deceased was postmaster of the city in the seventies and served during the Civil war as internal revenue collector for the fourth district of Michigan. He also held at various times a number of other city and state offices.

Capt. Daniel W. Fisk.

Capt. Daniel W. Fisk, for many years one of the proprietors of the Helena, Mont., Herald, is dead at St. Peter's hospital, Brooklyn. The body will be shipped to Salt Lake City, Utah, to be buried by the side of his wife. Capt. Fisk belonged to the Loyal Legion and the Grand Army of the Republic, having enlisted in the volunteer service in Indiana at the opening of the Civil war.

Benjamin Baker.

Benjamin Baker, a well-known journalist, died at his home in Philadelphia Monday, aged 55 years. The deceased was born in Ireland and came to America in 1865, and connected himself with the Boston Globe. In 1876 he was editor of the Wilkesbarre Record. He was later connected with papers in Philadelphia, New York and Baltimore, and at the time of his death was in the advertising department of the Philadelphia North American.

James G. DeForest.

James G. DeForest died yesterday at his home at Babylon, Long Island, after an illness of several years. He amassed a large fortune in the South American trade, being a member of the firm of W. W. DeForest & Co. He was a director of the Gallatin National bank and Phoenix Insurance Company, and was a member of the Union League club.

Capt. John M. Brinker.

Capt. John M. Brinker, well-known in the coal and iron trade and as the man who conceived the idea of holding a Pan-American exposition, died in Buffalo yesterday of paralysis, aged 68 years.

Obituary Notes.

The Rev. Dr. Faye Walker, president of Oxford College for Women, from 1887 to 1900, is dead at Philadelphia. He went to Philadelphia three years ago as pastor of Hebron Presbyterian church.

Andrew Kuhn, 61 years old, is dead at the home of his son, William H. Kuhn, No. 35 Hazelwood avenue, Hazelwood. Mr. Kuhn was formerly a brick manufacturer and contractor in Cumberland county, Pa.

Daniel Davis, 70 years old, for years a resident of the South side, was buried Sunday at 2 from the home of Lewis Owens in Forestville, Pa., where he died while on a visit to Mr. Owens. He was a member of the I. O. O. F.

Mrs. Hannah O'Connor, 77 years old, is dead at her home, No. 353 Sixth avenue, Homestead, in which vicinity she resided since 1840. She was a native of Queenstown, Ireland, and is survived by four sons, all residents of Homestead.

James Sloey, aged 81, is dead at New Castle, Pa. He was born in Ireland and was a prosperous business man. A widow and an adopted daughter survive. The latter, Sister Agnes, is a member of a religious order at Ashtabula, O.

Miss Carrie M. Miller, aged 29, chief operator of the Bell Telephone Company at Scottdale, Pa., died yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Miller. Miss Miller was well known in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Rebecca Lesour, wife of Calvin Lesour, died at Belpre, O., yesterday, aged 82. She was a niece of Bathsheba Rose, the first school teacher in the territory northwest of the Ohio river. She had spent all her life in Belpre.

Secretary in Trouble.

Edmond Bishop, Jr., of Allegheny, was yesterday held in $2,000 bail for a hearing in Braddock on a charge of embezzlement. The suit is brought by J. C. Boyle, president of the Westinghouse Airbrake Building and Loan association of Wilmerding, of which Bishop was secretary for four years. Boyle said yesterday that a deficiency of $2,000 had been found in Bishop's accounts.

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BUILDERS TO ORGANIZE INTERNATIONAL BODY

Convention Will Be Held in Pittsburgh Within Two Weeks to Perfect Association—Local Men to Form Stock Company.

A convention of delegates of builders' associations in the United States will be held at the Hotel Henry within two weeks to organize an international association. Plans are practically completed. Among the associations that will be represented are the Builders' Trades Employers' association of New York; the Cleveland Builders' exchange of Cleveland; the Masters' Contractors association of Chicago; the Builders' club of Philadelphia; the Builders' exchange of Cincinnati; the New Orleans Contractors' association of New Orleans, and the Master Builders' association of Pittsburgh.

For the past two months the move has been on foot, but not until last night was it decided to hold the convention in Pittsburgh. The New York association was anxious to have the convention held in that city, but finally consented to hold it in Pittsburgh.

The object of the new organization will be to fight the trades unions, in the same manner that the workmen are organized to force their demands upon the contractors. It will have for its object the fixing of scales, settling all disputes that may arise between the contractor and the men, and take action on such other matters as may come up in the building trade work.

The Pittsburgh Master Builders' association is arranging to banquet the delegates.

The Master Builders' association last night, after discussing the question of forming an international organization of builders decided to form a stock company. It is to be capitalized at $100,000. It was concluded that each member subscribe $500 worth of stock and bonds will be issued to place the company on a sound footing. The company will erect a large building, three stories high. On the first floor will be a restaurant to be conducted by the company, and a reading room. The second floor will be for the office rooms of its members. The third floor will be for meetings of the association, and for conventions of various kinds.

P. K. Stephenson, formerly with the Real Estate Trust Company, has been appointed business manager of the Master Builders' association.

PERSONALS

George W. Tiets, second vice president and secretary of the Monongahela Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, left last night for Cincinnati. Before leaving he said that plans were about completed for the absorbing of the Anchor Line wharfboat.

Assistant Postmaster General W. S. Shallenberger left for his home in Beaver, Pa., at midnight. While at the Union station he said that the postoffice affairs were in a muddled state on account of the investigation.

Col. Samuel Moody, assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania Lines, went to New York last night on the Pittsburgh limited.

Select Councilman L. C. Beatty of the Sixth ward, Allegheny, returned last night from a week's trip to New York.

Charles F. Kirschler, one of the proprietors of Newell's hotel, returned last night from a business trip to Washington.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The nearby residents registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Henry—S. E. Phillips, Steubenville; N. V. T. Wilson, Wheeling; John Darr, Oil City; Walter Bard, Meadville; P. Shaw, Uniontown, and T. W. Flemming, Fairmont.

Newell's—Charles Potter, Dooers; G. G. Mead, Marietta, and George W. Shaffer, Morgantown.

Monongahela House—C. B. Robbins and W. D. Beckley, Bloomsburg; Henry Rice, Beaver; N. R. Johnson, New Castle; A. T. Findlay, Youngstown; C. Baust, Somerset, and W. Winter, Johnstown.

Griswold—I. W. Becker, Youngstown; P. Parker, Wheeling, and C. N. Canby, Steubenville.

Seventh Avenue—T. A. Goodfellow, Altoona; George D. Vandergrift, Charles E. Mays and George Parseil, Smithport; William A. McQuaide, Huntingdon, Pa.; S. Gaha, Mt. Pleasant; E. M. Walter, Bermich, and A. M. Growden, Scranton.

Duquesne—W. S. Humes, J. C. Dover and R. N. Marboro, Altoona; S. M. Flanigan, Parkersburg; Charles M. Bly, New Bedford; O. German, Erie, and F. F. Beebe, Youngstown.

Lincoln—B. Matters, Altoona; L. G. McCrum, Uniontown, and D. W. Davis, Salem.

Victoria—C. L. Townsend, Grafton and H. H. Bender, Johnstown.

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NO TRUCE IS DECLARED WITH PENNSYLVANIA

Rumors in New York of Settlement of Fight on Goulds Authoritatively Denied.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, June 9.—"No truce has been declared between the Goulds and the Pennsylvania interests, but on the other hand the opposition of both parties is growing stronger." This statement was made today by one of the Gould corporation counsel and is indisputable.

One rumor very persistent during the day was to the effect that a settlement had been reached with Pittsburgh as a basis. The fight between the Wabash and Pennsylvania for terminal facilities in Pittsburgh has simmered down to a considerable extent, and it can now be stated upon excellent authority that President Cassatt has ordered a temporary let-up on the Wabash in Pittsburgh. This does not imply that the Pennsylvania will allow the Wabash to steal the ground from under its feet, but that the new system is to be allowed to carry out its plans for reaching many of the chief industries along the river.

This, however, has nothing to do with the Wall street rumor. The statement of the Gould attorney will set at rest reports that a certain bear party was only playing a trump card in saying that a fight is on to a finish between the rival corporations.

Very different views as to the exact status of the Gould-Pennsylvania affair are expressed in quarters close to the interested parties, says an afternoon paper. Despite the apparent vigor with which the fight is being waged against the Western Union it was said today that the contending parties are now nearer a settlement than the street expects. It is said further that the basis of the truce will be a settlement of the Wabash-Pittsburgh situation, an agreement as to the territory and certain trackage arrangements that will satisfy both and conserve the rights of all, while ending the whole dispute. This seems almost too much to expect, but the probability of its accomplishment in the near future is emphasized in quarters where reliable information on the affairs of either company have been at a premium.

C. P. GRENEKER.

Freight Engines in Collision.

A through freight train, the Valley Special, crashed into a shifting engine near the Ohio connecting bridge in lower Allegheny, early yesterday morning, completely wrecking the latter and sustaining injuries to its locomotive. The crews of both engines jumped. The shifter had just pulled out on the main track with six cars as the through freight approached at the rate of 30 miles an hour.

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Little need to mention the marvelous beauties of these matchless waists, which have always proved so popular at $1. Come in lawns, percales; Bishop stock; pouch sleeves; well made; prettily trimmed, and guaranteed to give the best of satisfaction. INSTEAD OF $1, marked Wednesday only, your unrestricted choice at this money-saving price..... 87c

WASH WAISTS.

Unless we're mightily mistaken this entire lot of handsome, up-to-date waists will be gone by noon. Come in all the wanted materials, made in the height of fashion, and sure to please every careful, particular dresser; INSTEAD OF $1.50, Wednesday only..... $1.29

WASH WAISTS.

There are wash waists and wash waists, but we are positive there ARE none like these, marked special today at $1.45. Can be had in lawns, madras, basket weaves, etc.; nicely made; well finished; INSTEAD OF $2.00, marked Wednesday only at this tempting price..... $1.74

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Bright, full of style, well made and handsomely trimmed, these dainty, serviceable waists have always proven popular at $2.50. Come in choice summer fabrics; pouch sleeves; Bishop stock, etc.; INSTEAD OF $2.50, marked Wednesday only at the very low price of..... $2.19

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HANNA WELCOMES COMING GUESTS

Senator Spry as a Youth Preparing for His Daughter's Wedding.

REHEARSAL AT THE CHURCH

Elaborate Police Arrangements Made for Protection of President Roosevelt. Czolgosz Family Will Be Kept Under Close Surveillance.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, June 9. There was much flurry at the home of Senator Hanna today in anticipation of the wedding tomorrow. The senator seemed to have forgotten his rheumatism and was as active as a youngster home from college. The day was consumed in making the final touches necessary in the floral decorations, in a rehearsal at the church and the reception of guests.

Only the members of the Hanna and McCormick families and President Roosevelt and his daughter will be sheltered at Glenmore, the senator's home. This home of L. C. Hanna, which is near that of the senator's and which has been vacant for some time, has been fitted up for the reception of a large number of others. In addition to this the senator has arranged for a number of suites in the downtown hotels and these were being fast filled up this afternoon.

The guests were met by Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Parsons, son-in-law and daughter of Senator Hanna, and are being entertained at the Hanna residence, and by Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hanna at their country home in Gordon park.

A party from Washington arrived at 7:35 p. m. In the party were Senator and Miss Kean, Senator and Mrs. Wetmore, Senator and Mrs. Aldrich and Senator Hale. They were driven at once to the Hanna residence in Lake avenue, where Senator and Mrs. Hanna were awaiting them.

THE CHICAGO PARTY.

An early morning train from Chicago brought Robert S. McCormick, ambassador to Russia, father of the groom. Mrs. McCormick accompanied him. Others who arrived during the morning were Mrs. Joseph Fetter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCormick, Mr. Stanley McCormick, Mrs. Cyrus H. McCormick, Miss Carrie McCormick, Miss Emmons Blaine, Mrs. M. B. Winston, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevenson, Jr. and Herbert Stone, Mr. Frederic McLaughlin, Mr. Joseph Cudahy and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ely, all of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Griscom and Mr. and Mrs. Stone of Philadelphia. Gen. H. C. Corbin and Mrs. Corbin arrived Monday.

Gov. Nash will not be present, owing to ill health. The state administration will be represented, however, by Secretary of State Laylin and other officials. Senator Foraker will not attend the wedding, nor will either of his daughters. It was explained at the Hanna home that the Forakers had been invited but had found it impossible to attend.

The wedding breakfast will be served at 2 p. m. in the open air at the Hanna home, the bride's table being in the center of the large dining room of the house.

None of the relatives of Leon Czolgosz, the assassin of President McKinley, will be placed in full during President Roosevelt's visit. The police think this step is unnecessary, but members of the family will be kept under surveillance. A detail of police will be at the Union station when the president arrives and 20 detectives in citizens' clothes will guard him while he remains in the city.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE GIFTS.

Great secrecy has been maintained concerning the presents, as it is the wish of the bride to avoid publicity. A few gifts and the donors have been ascertained, however. Mrs. McKinley sent a beautiful vase of Italian ware. The gift of Mrs. Hanna is a beautiful necklace of pearls and Mr. and Mrs. McCormick have presented the bride with a collar of pearls and diamonds. Among the other presents is a rare old English tea set with oval tray. It was made in 1699 and was brought direct from England. This gift is said to be from the groom's parents, also. Other gifts are a mahogany inlaid dinner table, side table to match, an antique chair, gold plates, gold bouillon cups, large silver soup tureen and trays, cut glass punch bowl and glasses, silver individual coffee sets, a solid silver tray with Tiffany glasses, clocks, old Sevres plates, an entire silver set of small table pieces, inkstands of gold and silver, brass, gold and silver candelabra, Tiffany lamps and many pieces of Tiffany ware. The presents filled an entire room.

ROBBERS AT M'KEESPORT DID A WHOLESALE BUSINESS

Robbers had a free and easy time in McKeesport early yesterday morning, visiting a number of prominent business houses, all of which are within a square or two of the Central police station. J. A. Flennigen of the Hotel Clifton lost $25 in cash and a supply of liquor. At the store of Frank B. Dawson $5 in change and some cigars were taken. The third robbery was at the wholesale liquor store of J. C. Coulter, in Ninth avenue, where a screen was cut out of a side window and an entrance effected. At W. T. Bolt's store, in Fifth avenue, the thieves looted the cash register of $23, after breaking open a rear window.

Colored Barbers are not Barred.

President Joseph Malsone and Secretary Corey of local union No. 20 of the Journeymen Barbers' international union of North America deny the report that colored barbers are not admitted to that union. "The colored men are as welcome as any other barbers," said Secretary Corey. In regard to the threatened strike of barbers unless the new scale to come before the local at a meeting of June 18, is approved, it was said by the two officials that if all the members of the local will attend that meeting the proposition to enforce the new scale will be voted down.

Bond Issue of $150,000.

A bond issue of $150,000 has been recommended by the board of water commissioners of McKeesport, to secure a better water supply. Expert engineers have recommended a filter system for the present water supply. The filter is estimated at $100,000, which with pipes, repairs to old reservoir and other improvements, will run the total up to $150,000.

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News of Nearby Towns and Country

COMMITTEE HEARD PLEA FOR RIVER IMPROVEMENT

Government Engineers Investigated Claims of the Beaver Valley

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BEAVER, PA., June 9.—The congressional sub-committee investigating the proposed improvement of the Beaver river from the Ohio river at Rochester to a point above Beaver Falls met in the court house this morning and heard testimony favoring the improvement.

All the members of the committee are United States engineers. Those in session today were Maj. Harry F. Hodges, Capt. William V. Judson, Capt. Charles H. McKinstry and A. H. Wehr.

Witnesses were here from Sharon, New Brighton, Beaver Falls, Rochester, Bridgewater, Beaver and Pittsburgh. Verbal statements were made before the committee by Capt. John F. Dravo of Beaver; Col. T. B. Roberts, Pittsburgh; Joseph Bentley, New Brighton; James P. Leaf, Rochester, and John A. Atwood, Beaver. Written statements were made by Richard R. Hice, Beaver, and John A. Elliott, Beaver Falls.

Among the facts brought out in these statements was that the tonnage of some of the towns on the Mahoning, Shenango and Beaver rivers, with a population varying from 3,000 to 40,000, exceeded that of many of the largest cities in the United States.

The committee seemed to be favorably impressed by the statements and asked many questions bearing upon the desirability and feasibility of the proposed improvement. Among those present were the Hon. W. S. Palmer and W. B. Herbert of Sharon, representing the board of trade of that city.

EX-STATE SENATOR DISBARRED IN OHIO

FINDLAY, O., June 9.—Attorney W. W. Sutton of Ottawa, at one time the representative of Putnam county in the state senate, was disbarred by the circuit court today for a period of five years. He was charged with conduct unbecoming a lawyer. Judge Mooney stated that Sutton would be allowed to apply for reinstatement after two years.

Ministers Read Papers.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., June 9.—(Special.)—The annual meeting of the Pittsburgh Association of the Congregational churches and Ministers in the First Congregational church of Ebensburg closed tonight. Papers were read as follows: "The Aggressive Spirit of Christianity," the Rev. W. Slade of Braddock; "The Possibilities of Congregationalism in Western Pennsylvania," the Rev. George March, Pittsburgh; "Modern Conception of Practical Christianity," the Rev. Howell Davies, Johnstown; and "The Christian Outlook," the Rev. J. H. Bauseman, Rochester.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bough.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS VISIT M'KINLEY TOMB

Grand Lodge of Ohio Holds Memorial Services at Canton Cemetery.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CANTON, O., June 9.—The city has been turned over to the Knights of Pythias, who are holding their annual grand lodge meeting here. The bad weather somewhat interfered with the progress of the second day of the convention. This morning about 1,000 knights marched to West Lawn cemetery to the tomb of the late President McKinley. A beautiful floral piece was placed upon the coffin by the grand lodge officers, after which memorial services were held.

The main business of the grand lodge will come up tomorrow. This evening a meeting of the past chancellors was held, after which they were banqueted at the McKinley hotel. Tomorrow the reports of the state officers will be made and the newly elected officers will be installed.

The regular sessions of the Rathbone Sisters, an auxiliary of the Knights of Pythias, opened today. A number of the highest officers in the order are present, among them being Supreme Chief Ralle Quinlan of Galesburg, Ill.; Grand Chief Ella Leland of Painesville, O., and Grand Senior Mabel Ellis of Belle Center.

PRESIDENT GILDAY'S STATEMENT DENIED

JOHNSTOWN, PA., June 9.—(Special.)—Concerning President Gilday's statement in reference to mine affairs, the following statement was made today by Thomas A. Mather, foreman of the Webster Ben Creek operations: "There is no basis whatever for Mr. Gilday's charges. As to the matter of the company's officers refusing to meet with the miners' officers, the men will bear me out in saying that repeated conferences have been held at Cresson and other places, and in everything the officials have shown a desire to settle promptly and in an amicable spirit, any differences betwsen employer and employe."

Three Held for Fighting.

MONONGAHELA CITY, PA., June 9.—(Special.)—A Sunday game of euchre with a bloody sequel resulted in the arrest today of "Andy" Mardis, "Joe" Russian and Mrs. Russian of Huzel Kirk. Last night the quarrel was renewed and, it is alleged, Mardis shot at Russian and then sank his teeth into Russian's nose. Mrs. Russian is said to have taken a hand in the encounter.

Industrial Boom at Irwin.

IRWIN, PA., June 9.—(Special.)—Irwin has taken on a big industrial boom. The Eleanor Iron and Steel Company will add an open-hearth mill to its plant at a cost of $200,000. The Jersey Food Company has started on its factory, to cost $40,000, and the Foreman Car Company last evening decided to increase its capital stock from $22,111 to $50,000 in order to increase its plant.

PITTSBURGHERS TESTIFY FOR DYNAMITE COMPANY

Claim That Danger Is Lessened by Admirable Location of Crescent Plant.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA., June 9.—At the hearing today of the injunction proceedings brought against the Crescent Dynamite Company, to restrain the rebuilding of its works, because they menaced the lives and homes of the farmers of the neighborhood, Vance Craig, a former employe, testified that he left the works because he feared they would be blown up.

J. M. Magee, E. L. Craig and D. L. Wildrich, Pittsburgh dynamite experts, testified that the Crescent works were admirably located in an isolated region, and there was less danger there than in neighborhoods more thickly populated.

George R. McAbee of Pittsburgh, general manager of the Crescent company, testified that there were 10 limestone and three gannister quarries in Blair county, forming the largest operations in the United States, and in the conducting of which dynamite is absolutely essential. Judge Bell stated that he would decide the case July 10.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

LATROBE, PA.—Dominic Dewalts, employed at the stone quarries of Booth & Flinn, was caught under a fall of rock and killed.

NEW BRIGHTON, PA.—The stockholders of the Beaver County Trust Company decided to increase the capital stock from $200,000 to $500,000.

CROBE, PA.—Edith Montgomery was badly bitten by a vicious dog while walking through a field on her father's farm. She will probably die.

SHARON, PA.—The South Sharon board of health has reorganized by reelecting T. S. Beck president; John Thompson, secretary, and Dr. S. A. Woods, city physician.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—With his body buried to the neck in slack, Michael Lasco, a Polish laborer at the Shenago furnace, was found dead. He fell while dumping slack from the cars.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—The "white wings" force of this city wants a wage increase of $1.62 to $1.80 for a 10-hour day. They threaten to strike if their demands are not granted.

BEAVER FALLS, PA.—The body of an unknown man was picked up at Woodlawn on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie road. There is nothing by which to identify the remains. The men was about 50 years old.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—The formal charge of arson was placed against Thomas Maloney. It is alleged that he set fire to his house four times, his wife saving it three times. The fourth time it burned down.

GREENSBURG, PA.—The body of Noah Bruner, a merchant of Standard, near Mt. Pleasant, was found hanging in a box car near his home. He was 65 years old and is survived by his widow and several children.

YORK, PA.—Jacob Moore, a Democratic politician, shot himself in the head and died instantly at his home in Siddonsburg, this county. He was worth $50,000, was in good health, and had recently been in the best of spirits.

SHARON, PA.—The Continental Iron works at Wheatland was sold to L. L. Willson, representing the Fort Pitt National and the Fourth National banks of Pittsburgh, creditors of the Continental Company. The price paid was $40,500. The mill will be improved.

MRS. EVA RUMBOLD TELLS OF TRAGEDY

New Castle Woman Testifies Against Merkel in Alleged Murder Trial.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., June 9.—Mrs. Eva Rumbold went on the stand today and told of the shooting of John Genklinger by his jealous rival, George Merkel. Mrs. Rumbold was the only eye-witness of the tragedy and her testimony was altogether against the accused, whom she was to accompany to Pittsburgh to marry on the very day of the shooting. She said that Genklinger came to her rooms when Merkel was present to get a diamond pin he had loaned her. She introduced Merkel to Genklinger. Genklinger went to shake hands but Merkel drew back. Mrs. Rumbold said that Genklinger then said: "George, Eva tells me that she is going to marry you. Take her and make a good woman of her, for she has treated you all right. If you don't marry her, you are a chump." Merkel, angered at the last sentence, drew a revolver and began firing.

Genklinger was shot through the back as he turned in the doorway, she said, and then Merkel knocked the wounded man down and kicked him in the face. Mrs. Rumbold says she then pushed a chair between them, but Genklinger staggered to his feet and Merkel again knocked him down. Policeman Henry Bell arrived then and arrested Merkel.

The testimony of Mrs. Elizabeth Mayne, a sister of Genklinger, corroborated Mrs. Rumbold. Merkel will take the stand in his own behalf tomorrow.

Many Wounded at a Dance.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., June 9.—(Special.)—Ephraim Shaline, Nelson Whitehead and two others went to Ohio last night to a dance. One of the West Virginians became too attentive to the sweetheart of one of the Ohio men, who started a fight. Shaline may die at his home here. Whitehead is still in Ohio, unable to get home, having a bullet in his hip. Several Ohio men were slightly injured.

Now a Prelate of Papal Household.

WILKESBARRE, PA., June 9.—By the most impressive ceremony ever seen in the Catholic churches of this diocese in many years, the Very Rev. P. C. Nagel of St. Nicholas church was this morning elevated to the office of prelate of the papal household and given the title of monsignor and the purple robes. Delegates of German Catholic societies of the state attended with many priests.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R. "WEEK-END EXCURSIONS."

$2.50	Ashtabula Harbor	$2.50
$3.00	Erie	$3.00
$3.25	North East	$3.25

The above excursion tickets will be sold for Saturday afternoon trains, and also for the Sunday morning train leaving Pittsburgh 8 a. m., city time, due at Ashtabula 10:45 a. m. Returning—leaves Ashtabula 5:05 p. m., Sunday, or any regular train on Monday.

OUR BUILDING TO BE A CREDIT

Keystone State Will Erect a Handsome Edifice for the St. Louis Fair.

WORK IS TO START AT ONCE

New Structure is to Cost About $75,000 and $25,000 More Will Be Expended in Furnishings and Making the Grounds Attractive—Committees Are Named.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, June 9.—The Pennsylvania commission to the Louisiana Purchase exposition, today unanimously adopted plans for the proposed Pennsylvania building at St. Louis. Perspective and diagram drawings were submitted by Philip H. Johnson of Philadelphia, showing a structure of the classic Greek school of architecture, which it was decided to erect and furnish at a cost not to exceed $100,000. About $75,000 of this will be expended upon the building and the balance will be spent in furnishing the interior and improving the surroundings.

It is believed that it will be one of the most attractive of the state buildings at the great fair. The plans call for a two-story structure, with an elevated roof, centering in a large dome, the top of which will be 140 feet from the ground. The building will be about 250 feet front and 105 feet deep, and will have ample porch accommodations. There will be a lobby in the middle of the building on the ground floor, where it is probable the liberty bell will be placed, directly under the dome.

Henry F. Walton, chairman of the executive committee, William S. Harvey, Sculler, John C. Grady, James Pollock and others from Philadelphia; George T. Oliver of Pittsburgh, and others addressed the meeting regarding the work of the commission already under way and outlined plans for the future. They all expressed satisfaction over the consideration shown them by the officials and citizens of St. Louis, and it was predicted that the exposition will be a great success.

Col. Charles H. Lambert, the executive officer, specially referred to the movement inaugurated by Mayor Weaver at the suggestion of the Pennsylvania commission, among the manufacturers and merchants of Philadelphia, to make a creditable display of that city's industries and products, and it was stated that like co-operation was expected from other municipalities throughout the state. State officials at the head of the departments of education, forestry, fisheries, mines and agriculture, principals of high, normal and manual training schools, county superintendents and others interested in educational affairs, it was announced, are manifesting a gratifying interest in the exposition and will assist in making a splendid display from Pennsylvania.

The following appointments of subcommittees reported by the executive committee were approved:

Manufactures—George T. Oliver, chairman, Pollock and Earle; mines and mining, Cyrus Woods, chairman, Ulrich, Hartman; agriculture, F. G. Harris, chairman, Young, Hardenbergh; forestry, J. Henry Cochran, chairman, Speral, Harvey; floriculture and horticulture, J. D. Brown, chairman, Hon. Penrose; fish and fisheries, ——, chairman, Shriver, Hamilton; education, George Earle, chairman, McAfee, Gilkeson; arts and sciences, James Polock, chairman, Oliver, Wayne; historical exhibits, Dr. C. N. Frederick, chairman, Wagner and Cochler; petroleum, J. M. Guffey, chairman, W. M. Brown, Hoyt; transportation, E. B. Hardenbergh, chairman, Harris, Cochran; women's work, Mrs. Simpson, Reed; Grady; commercial museums, William S. Harvey, chairman, Gelbert, Woods; public institutions, John C. Grady, chairman, Smith, Gazzam, Sheridan, W. M. Brown, chairman, Kirker, McBrier; live stock, McClain, chairman, Cooper and Young; state building, W. B. Snyder, chairman, Scull and Stulb; machinery and inventions, Brashear, Speral; balconies, Frich, Hartman; boards of trade, F. B. Stulb, chairman; Kirker, Beler; liberal arts, John Hamilton, chairman, Cooper, I. B. Brown.

There will be no delay in beginning work on the Pennsylvania building. It was decided to advertise at once for bids for its construction, the architect stating that he would have the specifications ready within three or four days.

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Regular 5.00 and 6.00 kind.

Lot 2. Carabaughs and Camelshair Persians.....7.50
Regular 10.00 and 12.00.

Lot 3. Shirvans, Baloochistans and Daghastans.....12.50
Regular 15.00 and 18.00.

Lot 4. Oblong and Runner shapes, 3.6x7 and up.....22.50
Regular 30.00 to 35.00.

THREE LOTS

Carpets or Room Sized Rugs at prices that will give everyone a gratified owner.

Lot 1. Fereghans, Afghans and Cashmeres.....60.00
Worth 75.00 to 90.00.

Lot 2. Bahndhurs, Alahas and Kermans.....80.00
Worth 100.00 to 110.00.

Lot 3. Fereghans, Kermans, Bahndurs and Mezapores, worth 125.00 to 150.00, for...100.00

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ZION CONGRESS EXTENDS FIELD

Federation to Join With Philanthropists in Aiding Oppressed Jews in Other Countries.

MAY MEAN JEWISH INFLUX

President Gottheil Breaks His New Ivory Gavel in Calming Two Storms in Convention—Pittsburgh and Chicago Rabbis Critised for Alleged Lack of Interest.

After a stormy session, in which Dr. J. Leonard Levy of Pittsburgh and Dr. Emil G. Hirsch of Chicago were criticised by a delegate for not having attended the convention, the Federation of American Zionists adjourned yesterday.

The most important business transacted by the convention was the adoption yesterday of a resolution by which the federation will in future join with Jewish philanthropic societies in aiding oppressed Jews throughout the world, instead of devoting all its attention to providing homes for Jews in Palestine. This change in policy interpreted by some as portending a big immigration of Jews into the United States.

The resolution commends the action of the president and the executive council in the efficient aid rendered the Jews in Kishineff and declares that it is entirely consistent with the principles of Zionism for the executive council to act in conjunction with other Jewish philanthropic bodies when a large number of "our brethren are displaced from their homes." This is interpreted to mean that the federation will aid in finding homes for Jews elsewhere than in Palestine, a radical departure from former principles.

The following officers, named by the nominating committee, were unanimously elected:

President, Dr. Richard Gottheil of New York; vice presidents, G. B. Mayer of Philadelphia, representing the eastern portion of the organization, and Leon Zolotkoff of Chicago, representing the west; secretary, Jacob De Haas, New York; treasurer, E. W. Lewin-Epstein, New York.

International relations committee—Dr. R. Gottheil, secretary J. De Haas, Leon Zolotkoff and Dr. S. S. Wise of Portland, Ore.

Honorary vice presidents—Dr. B. Felsenthal, Chicago; Dr. M. Jastrow, Philadelphia; Dr. Lewis N. Dembitz, Philadelphia; Rabbi L. M. Levinthal, Philadelphia; the Rev. Dr. H. Pereira Mendez, New York; the Rev. M. S. Marzolis, Boston, the Rev. Dr. S. Schaffer, Baltimore; the Rev. Dr. Max Heller, New Orleans; the Rev. H. Masliansky of New York; publisher of the Jewish World, K. H. Sarasohn, New York, publisher of the Jewish Gazette.

Members of the Basle congress instance committee—Prof. Gottheil, J. De Haas and L. Zolotkoff.

At times the convention's proceedings were so stormy that President Gottheil broke the handsome ivory gavel presented to him at the opening of the convention.

The first scene was occasioned by the consideration of the resolution offered by the executive council, proposing that every organization hold a gathering during the feast of the tabernacles and that the gross proceeds therefrom be remitted to the headquarters of the federation to defray the expenses of lectures and issuing propagandist literature. Many were opposed to the proposition, and so many delegates were frequently on the floor at one time that Prof. Gottheil threatened to resign. The resolution was lost and the convention quieted down.

There was a second outbreak when Moses S. Kuff, a delegate from Baltimore, learned that one of the Baltimore members of the executive council had been dropped by the nominating committee and Miss Henrietta Szold substituted. Mr. Kuff wanted to know why the committee had taken this action, and the president said it was a matter not to be made public. Kuff moved that the report of the committee be rejected, but his motion was lost. There seemed, however, to be so much dissatisfaction with the committee's selection of executive council that the committee retired to consider longer.

The Rev. Dr. A. Radin of Philadelphia wanted the chair to explain the absence of Dr. J. Leonard Levy and Dr. Emil G. Hirsch. The secretary explained that Rabbi Levy had agreed to address the convention, understanding that the meeting was to be held in May, but when he learned it was to be held in June he withdrew his promise, as he expected to be and is enjoying his vacation. Dr. Hirsch was too busy to attend, the secretary said.

Dr. Radin was not satisfied with the explanation, and remarked that Dr. Levy and Dr. Hirsch were not greatly interested in the cause of Zionism.

Many of the delegates departed for home last night, but some remained over until today and a lawn fete in their honor was given at Kenwood lawn.

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TO THE SOUTH'S DEAD CHIEFTAIN PRAISE IS SUNG

Eloquent Recital of General Robert E. Lee's Motive for Entering Confederacy Given at College Commencement.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

OXFORD, GA., June 9.—One of the most vivid and eloquent recitals of the career of Gen. Robert E. Lee, ever heard in Georgia was delivered today by Judge Emory Speer of Macon, at the commencement exercises at Emory college. In dwelling upon Lee's sublime self-poise, and patience, in either victory or defeat, the confederate general's motives for deserting the union were elaborated upon by the orator.

"Why, it may be asked," said the speaker, "did Lee draw his sword in maintenance of secession, which he declared revolution, which he pronounced anarchy and which he foresaw and declared would inflict untold calamities upon the people" The reply is that he did no such thing. His purpose is declared in this letter to his son. "If the union is dissolved and the government disrupted, I shall return to my native state and share the miseries of my people and save in defease, will draw my sword no more."

Of the proposition of Virginia to place a statue of Lee in Statuary hall at Washington, Judge Speer said:

"Deny Lee a place by Washington! Ah, is it sure if in the awful hour, when the invading columns approached Virginia's soil, the winds of the prophet had breathed upon the slain that they might live, that caught from the wall at Mount Vernon by the reincarnated hand of the father of his country, the defensive blade of Washington would not have gleamed beside the sword of Lee? Repel then not my country, the fervid love of thy sons who fought with Lee and of the children of their loins. Then honor him and in thy need, on those who love him thou wilt not call in vain. And woe to thy foe in the press of battle, when the soul of Lee shall fire their hearts and his bright sword shall point the charging columns of thy sons."

MILLER AVOIDS HYPNOTIC SPELL

Testifies in Case Against Robert A. Ammon for Receiving Stolen Money.

DESCRIBES HIS BLIND POOL

Prosecution Expects to Prove That Miller Turned Over $195,000 to Col. Ammon and That $30,000 Is Yet Unaccounted for—Defendant Said Flee.

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, June 9.

William F. Miler, former president of the 520 per cent syndicate, took the stand this afternoon against Robert A. Ammon, who is being tried for receiving $30,000 of stolen money. Two jurors were chosen to fill the places of those excused yesterday.

Miller appeared somewhat ill at ease. When he was first brought on from Ossining it was feared that Ammon might exercise some undue influence over him during the trial such as hypnotism. That Miller was greatly influenced by Ammon during their connection before the downfall of the syndicate has been hinted at. Miller when he took the stand this afternoon carefully avoided the gaze of Ammon. The substance of his testimony was that his chief business as president of the Franklin syndicate was to receive money. He paid all dividends out of the principal. In October, 1899, Miller said that he became more particular and as money was coming in very fast he advertised that from that time he would not accept sums under $50.

In outlining the case of the prosecution Mr. Nott said: "We will prove that this defendant in the summer of 1899 met William Miller. This man, Ammon, became his counsel and advised him as to the safest way in which to conduct the business.

"We will show how Miller turned over $195,000 to Ammon, who, after he got the cash said 'Billy, now you had better scoot,' and when threatened with arrest himself, brought back Miller from Canada. Miller was arrested and convicted.

"We propose to prove four things—first, that $30,000 was stolen by Miller; second, that this $30,000 was given to Ammon; third, that Ammon knew that the $30,000 was stolen; fourth, that this $30,000 was secured feloniously.

"The first of these four points we will establish by the persons from whom Miller stole the money, and also by Miller himself, who will take the stand and tell how he turned it over to Ammon."

The first witness was a female employe of the syndicate.

C. P. GRENEKER.

TRUSTED CLERK IS SHORT $75,000

Order Issued for Arrest of Employe of the District of Columbia.

ACCUSED IS WELL CONNECTED

Defalcation Said to Have Been Growing for Several Years—Loose Management Responsible for Opportunity for Wrong Doing—Relatives May Make Good.

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 9.

Dishonesty in another branch of the federal government was uncovered today when it became known that a warrant had been issued for the arrest of James M. Watson, Jr., a clerk in the office of auditor of the commissioners of the District of Columbia, who is charged with embezzlement. It is believed that the amount of the defalcation is $75,000, though it may exceed that figure.

A remarkable fact in connection with the case is that Watson, who is of a respectable family in the district, was several years ago arrested for extensive forgeries, but owing to his youth was confined in the reform school. The whole affair indicates extremely loose management and the possibility of fraud in other departments of the district government.

Watson was not bonded and in case he or his relatives, several of whom are said to be wealthy, fail to make good the alleged losses, Auditor J. T. Petty will be held responsible for the amount. The auditor's bond is for $20,000. The money alleged to have been embezzled was part of the funds deposited in the office of the auditor by property owners who are willing to pay half or all costs of improvements abutting on their property, such as paving sidewalks, alleys and streets.

Mr. Watson, it is alleged, has been entrusted with making the deposits and has returned the book in appparently proper condition in each instance. The discovery of the shortage was made several days ago, but was kept secret by the auditor in the hope of securing restitution.

Watson's bail was fixed at $25,000, which, it was stated, will be furnished tomorrow by several bonding companies with which arrangements to that effect will be made. The arrested man spent the night in a police station. In a long statement Watson attributed the alleged shortage to careless bookkeeping and denied that he had been guilty of any embezzlement.

Bitten By a Bull Dog.

George Williams, 10 years old, of Sixth avenue, Homestead, was yesterday attacked and badly bitten by a bull dog which is thought to have been mad. Dr. C. C. Huff cauterized the wounds and fears no serious results.

MAY ESTABLISH SUB-DIVISIONS

Increased Business at Strap-Hangers' League Too Much for Officials to Handle.

SOUTH SIDE RESIDENTS HAPPY

The Gazette Is Given Credit for Trailers Put on the Birmingham Line. Hill-Top Residents Are Asking for All-Night Cars.

One of the busiest offices in Pittsburgh is the Strap-Hangers' league headquarters. The granting of a charter by the court has had a wonderful effect in getting people into the organization. The membership roll is increasing rapidly and the indications are that the Strap-Hangers' league will have to establish subdivisions in different parts of the city. At least, the officials of the league will have to secure assistance in handling the work of the association.

The Gazette is being lauded for its efforts in bringing before the traction companies the abuses in the service, and is given credit for the improvements recently made. While it chronicles the bad service given the people, it stands equally ready to give account of the improvements made. The residents on the South Side have been given better attention and one of The Gazette's subscribers voices the sentiment of the people in the following communication received at this office last evening:

No. 14 South Fourteenth Street, Pittsburgh.

The Old Reliable Gazette: I want to thank you for your noble effort in defense of the long-suffering strap-hangers on the Birmingham line. Your work has accomplished a wonderful change. We now have trailers, the busy hours at least, and the workers arriving over the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie do not have to be nailed on the sides and the platforms of the old wrecks they call cars in order to reach home some time in the night. These trailers have been needed for months, yea, years, and the company well knew it, but it realized that they added a few cents in the cost of carrying the people. It held back until The Gazette gave it a good hammering and cartooned it royally. It brought the company to time, for which all South Side residents feel grateful indeed. Long live the Old Lady. Very truly yours,

LAMAR F. DOANE.

Several other letters to the same purport were received at this office. The greater number of communications come from the Hill Top people. They argue that the traction company has no excuse for not giving better night service. The Knoxville residents say they are entitled to more than one night car every hour. The Suburban cars, running every hour and 20 minutes, carry many people to Knoxville, but by using these cars they have to walk a long distance. The complaints coming from Beltzhoover, Montooth, West Liberty and the people residing along the Castle and Mt. Lebanon lines would fill a good sized book.

Many complaints have been registered against the Center and Larimer avenue cars, which run along Ellsworth avenue. It is claimed that not half sufficient cars are run during the night to accommodate the travel. Many people working until morning have to hang on straps. The car is generally filled before it reaches Grant street and those who wish to board east of that point have great difficulty and often are unable to do so.

VICTIM MAY BE MARIE GARDNER

Rochester Woman Thinks She Knows the Girl Found in the Greek Fruit Stand.

WAS OF FOREIGN DECENT

Wilmington, Del., Police Think the Body May Be That of a Young Woman Missing from That City—No Trace Yet of Vassilus Petropulakes.

Coroner McGeary received word last night from Mrs. L. M. Brown of Rochester, Pa., that she believes the girl who was found dead after the fire in the fruit stand at the Seventh street bridge on June 4, is Marie Gardner, who disappeared from that place three weeks ago. The description of the girl given by Mrs. Brown agrees with the body at the morgue. Mrs. Brown will come to this city this morning and attempt to identify the girl.

Vassilus Petropulakes.

Marie was under the charge of the Humane society of Rochester and disappeared from that place during the night. She was of foreign descent and told the authorities of the society that her name was Marie Gardner. Mrs. Brown said the girl had no reason for leaving Rochester.

Chief of Police George P. Black of Wilmington, Del., last night telegraphed the Allegheny police for a description of the girl. A young woman supposed to answer the description of the woman whose remains are at the morgue disappeared from Wilmington several months ago.

Despite the fact that the police of both cities and the authorities in a number of towns near Pittsburgh have been working for almost a week, in an effort to locate Vassilus Petropulakes, the Greek who is wanted for the alleged murder of the girl, no trace of the man has been discovered.

Will Answer for Shooting an Officer.

Jay Williams, wanted in Chattanooga, Tenn., on charges of larceny and felonious assault and battery, was arrested in this city yesterday by Inspector Bernard McStay. Williams is colored and escaped from Sheriff W. P. Hays in Chattanooga six months ago. Sheriff Hays was taking Williams to jail when he drew a revolver and shot the officer through the shoulder.

Horse Sense

You can't buy gold at a "bargain." Its price is *fixed*. Consequently, when any imitation of the

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FOR adding fresh daintiness to your summer apparel there is nothing that can take the place of a lovely stock collar.

Hundreds of novelties are here for you to choose from—among the latest arrivals are tab front effect stocks trimmed with valanciennes laces, faggotting, teneriffe effect, also drawn work and braid stitching, ornamented with neat pearl buttons, 35c and 50c can't buy prettier or better stocks elsewhere than those which we are able to place before you today, for only 25c

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Women's dainty silk parasols—22 in. size, in plain colors or fancy centers, deep open work or hemstitched borders—a splendid line of parasols really worth $2.00 here for you to choose from at 1.59

Women's fine taffeta silk parasols—with fancy stripes and checks or plain coaching style, in quite a diversity of colors—parasols worth $3.50, special at 2.25

Extra fine parasols—including many exquisite novelties designed for our sale exclusively, imported direct from Paris and London—in colors and combinations to match any costume from $6.00 down to 3.50

Women's colored umbrellas—a parasol and umbrella combined, 26 in. size, in red, blue or green pure twilled silk with the new polka dot or Persian borders—very special offer at 3.50

Sale imported wash goods

NOW is the most fruitful time for the buying of imported wash goods—now, when the importers are anxious to dispose of their excess importations and wind up the season's business. The many extensive purchases recently made by our buyer show that he's fully alive to his opportunity—to the chance thus presented to benefit the patrons of "The Big Store."

Regular 25c imported wash goods { French printed percales, Persian printed lawns, Irish printed dimities, French printed batistes, } 15c

The above four popular fabrics come in thousands of different designs, such as dots, stripes, figures and floral effects, on light or dark colored grounds, small, medium or large patterns—every yard imported to sell for 25c, choice today for only, yd., 15c.

Regular 39c and 50c wash goods { Embroidered silk tissue, Scotch oxford shirting, English printed grenadine, Satin stripe challie, } 25c

The foregoing are all splendid medium weight fabrics especially adapted for making shirtwaist suits—they come in most lovely embroidered and printed effects, the colorings being most skillfully blended. Earlier in the season we sold these same fabrics for 39c to 50c—today the price goes down to only, yd., 25c.

Lace stripe lenc—a most beautiful highly mercerized fabric, in solid colors, with dainty open work effects, in black and every conceivable shade. This fabric has attained great popularity—but for our fortunate underpriced purchases this quality could not be retailed under 25c, but under the circumstances we are able to make the price today only, yard, 15c

Imported Scotch madras and zephyr gingham—in this summer's most effective stripes, guaranteed perfectly fast colors—24,000 yds. of the usual 35c grade, bought by us at a big price concession on sale today at, yard, 19c

Silk embroidered grenadine—beautiful designs on cotton stamine grounds in all colors, black included—fabrics imported to retail at 45c and 50c (and they're good values at these prices)—shrewd women will buy liberally today, while this low price is in force, yd., 39c

Silk ginghams—the entire balance of our own stock as well as the surplus lots of several importers, all styles and color combinations—goods imported to sell for 75c, offered without reserve today for only 50c

46 in. silk and linen batiste—very handsome fabrics with embroidered and printed silk stripes on natural or white grounds—by the look and feel of the stuff in your hands you'd think $1.50 or $1.75 a fair price, but we say take your choice for only, yd., 85c

Our matchless June sale of dainty undermuslins

WHY wait until the end of this sale? Summer is now upon us and demands for these garments grow greater daily. If convenient antedate your usual period of purchasing for next season's needs, and take advantage of THIS sale; it is the most propitious time in many a year for money-saving. The maker of these garments was smart enough to employ his help rather than risk a "shut-down" during the dull season; that accounts for these low prices:

Gowns — empire style, embroidery trimmed, 25c

Corset covers — good cambric, French style 5c

Girdles—good batiste, all colors 39c

Wash petticoats — good quality percale 25c

Women's gowns—made of soft cambric, muslin or nainsook, attractive styles, trimmed with dainty laces and insertions, ribbons, hemstitching and tuckings, worth up to $2.00 choice 98c

Women's gowns — made from good quality nainsook with round low neck, beautifully trimmed with fine lace insertion, ribbon and embroidered butterfly medallions, 1.50

Women's white petticoats—umbrella styles, hemstitched or neatly trimmed with lace or embroidery, 75c

Women's corset covers — with drawstrings, prettily trimmed with rows of valenciennes lace insertions, sale price 25c

Women's corset covers — fine nainsook, with drawstrings, French style, trimmed with dainty lace and pretty ribbons, 50c

Women's cambric walking skirts—deep flounces, elaborately trimmed with lace or embroidery, choice from 10 styles at 2.50

Women's drawers — umbrella styles, trimmed with two rows of torchon lace, inserting and ruffle of lace to match 39c

Women's drawers—fine cambric and nainsook, umbrella flounces, lace or embroidery trimmed, choice of 10 styles 1.00

Cambric petticoats—deep flounce, finished with perpendicular rows of wide val. lace insertion and wide lace edging to match, hemstitched dust ruffle, choice 5.00

Vests—Egyptian cotton, swiss ribbed 5c

Vests—lisle finish, nicely made 15c

Sacques—light or dark colors 50c

Sunbonnets — nicely made, cheap at 10c

White goods, linens, etc.

IT'S gratifying to most women to know that they have paid less for something they've bought than did their neighbors. Such will almost invariably be the case if you make your purchases here—unless your neighbors have done likewise.

White goods—50 pieces imported Persian lawn and mercerized madras, splendid fabrics for summer shirtwaist suits, at per yard 25c

500 waist lengths of imported white madras—very choice patterns—kind usually sold for $1.50 today at each 1.00

Special sale yokings

250 yoke lengths worth 10c at each 5c

360 yoke lengths worth 20c, each 10c

350 yoke lengths worth 25c at each 15c

190 yoke lengths worth 50c at each 25c

Wash goods—500 pieces printed dimity, lace lawn, printed batiste, 36 in. cambric and percale—regular price 15c, at yd. 10c

Zephyr gingham—double fold, new designs for waists, shirtwaist suits and men's negligee shirts—regular price 10c, at yd. 6¼c

Staple apron ginghams—also William Simpson's ¾ percale, in all gray, blue or black, at only per yd. 5c

French printed organdie—lovely new lace effects, all high class designs—goods really worth 20c, at per yd. 12½c

Linens—100 pieces good quality table damask, bleached and unbleached—choice patterns—on sale today at the very low price of, yd., 22½c

300 doz. dice pattern napkins at, doz., 49c, or, each, 5c.

Fringed tray covers, drawn work centers, at, each, 10c.

Hemstitched damask table covers, 2¼ by 2½ yds., at, each, 1.50.

Domestics—36 in. bleached muslin, finished soft for the needle, all the standard brands—special today at yd. 6¼c

Pillow case muslin—full bleached, 42 in. wide—10c pieces on sale today at yd. 8½c

Salvador cambric—full bleached, a brand preferred by many women to Lonsdale, for fine underwear—regular 15c quality, at yd. 10c

36 in. English lawn cloth—also 36 in. French nainsook—qualities always sold at 15c, today at 10c

Bedding—standard make pillow cases—hemmed and hemstitched, 2 in. hems—size 42 by 36 and 45 by 36 in.—choice for 12½c

Standard bed sheets—size 81 by 90 in., hemmed ready for use—splendid value for the money 50c

Standard bolster cases—size 72 by 42 ins., hemmed ready for use—special today only 25c

500 Marseilles bed spreads—extra size, choice patterns—the kind usually sold for $2.50, today at each 1.50

AS BUSINESS BRINGERS GAZETTE CLASSIFIED ADS EQUAL ANY.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

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THE SLIGHTEST WANT IS QUICKLY SUPPLIED BY GAZETTE CLASSIFIED ADS.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Pittsburgh	7	Philadelphia	3
New York	11	St. Louis	2
Chicago	4	Boston	1
Cincinnati	Rain	Brooklyn	

Quakers Finally Succeed in Breaking the Shut Out Record

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Detroit	7	Boston	3
Philadelphia	7	Chicago	1
Cleveland	6	Washington	4
New York	3	St. Louis	1

SHUTOUT STREAK FINALLY BROKEN

Roy Thomas of the Quakers Brought in the First Run Scored in 56 Innings.

EASY VICTORY FOR PIRATES

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	31	13	.706	Cincinnati	18	23	.462
Chicago	32	15	.681	Boston	17	25	.405
Pittsburgh	32	17	.653	Philadelphia	12	30	.286
Brooklyn	28	25	.511	St. Louis	13	34	.277

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Philadelphia at Exposition park.
New York at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.

After having gone for 56 innings without a run being scored against them, the Pirates' remarkable shutout record was punctured in the fourth inning of yesterday's game. The boy to turn the trick was Roy Thomas, the middle fielder of Chief Zimmer's Quakers, and when he brought the first run home the 3,850 spectators cheered him long and loud.

The contest was not of a very exciting nature because the Pirates took the lead right from the jump off and after scoring five runs in the third inning there was no question as to where the victory would land. The interest for the spectators in the earlier innings was centered in whether the Pirates would score another shutout, but that interest was killed when Thomas scored the run that broke the spell of whitewashing. After that the game moved along in sing-song style, the monotony being broken occasionally by a remarkable stop by one or the other of the Pirate infielders.

It was Eddie Doheny's turn to pitch for the champions, but for some reason or another Manager Clarke made a switch in the regular order of things and sent Wilhelm in to do the work. The Ohio boy pitched an exceedingly clever game, but at times he was rather wild and kept Catcher Phelps doing a lively dance about the home plate to gather in the balls. Only eight hits were scored against him, but he gave five bases on balls, and singular as it may seem, not one of them figured in the Quakers' run-getting. The final inning was a rather trying one on the pitcher, as the bases were filled by reason of a single and two bases on balls, but not a run was scored owing to good fielding.

Dugglehy, who has been enjoying a two weeks' rest, was called on to do the pitching, and outside of the third inning pitched fine ball. His third, however, was a fatal one, made so by his own wild throw in an effort to head Clarke off at first base. After that the Pirates laced his curves to all parts of the field, and there was not a put-out made at the base paths. After the third Dugglehy settled down to steady work, and hits and runs were few and far between.

The champions got started in the run-getting in the first inning. After Beaumont had gone out on an easy bounder, Clarke drove the ball down into right center for three-bases and scored on Hulswitt's wild throw in an effort to head him off at first. The fourth inning opened in the third inning with a well-placed bunt and on Clarke's attempt to sacrifice Dugglehy threw wild, the ball rolling down along the right field bleachers. Beaumont scored on the error and Clarke reached third.

The slip-up seemed to unnerve the Quaker, and there followed a lively fusillade of base hits. Schring's single to right scored Clarke. Wagner's single to center put Schring on third, but he was out at the plate trying to score on Bransfield's drive to short. Leach's two-bagger to right scored Wagner and Ritchey's single brought in both Bransfield and Leach. In this inning Dugglehy reached first by forcing Clarke out at second and he scored on Wagner's long single to right field.

The Quakers' first run and the one that broke the shutout streak was made in the fourth inning. Thomas led off with a single, went to third on Kelster's single and scored on Titus' fly out to Clarke. In the sixth Hallman singled and scored on Kelster's three-bagger to left. Kelster got home on Titus' out at first. The score:

Pitts'h.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Beau't, m	1	1	1	1	0	Thomas, m	1	1	2	0	0
Clarke, l.	2	2	2	2	0	Hallm'n,	3	1	1	0	0
Schring, r	1	3	2	1	1	Kelster, r	1	2	1	0	0
Wagner, s	1	2	3	5	0	Titus, l.	0	1	2	0	0
B'sfield,	1	1	0	14	1	Barry, l.	0	1	12	1	0
Leach, 3.	1	2	2	2	0	Hulswitt,	2	0	1	3	1
Ritchey,	0	1	3	6	0	Gleason,	2	0	1	5	1
Phelps, c.	0	1	0	2	0	Roth, c.	0	0	2	0	0
Wilh'm, p	0	0	0	4	0	Dug'hy, p	0	0	0	1	2
						*Douglas	0	1	0	0	0
Totals ..	7	11	27	19	1						
						Totals ..	3	8	24	14	2

*Batted for Duggleby in ninth.

Pittsburgh	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	1	0	0—7
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0—3

Two-base hits—Leach, Phelps. Three-base hits—Clarke, Kelster. Stolen bases—Wagner, Leach. Double play—Schring and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Wilhelm 6 (Thomas 2, Hallman, Barry, Hulswitt, Roth), of Duggleby 1 (Wilhelm). Time—1:30. Umpire—O'Day.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

In the ninth inning, when the Quakers got the bases filled, Wagner tried to work a little Carnegie trick, that of hiding the ball, but Billy Hallman had his eyes open and put the binoculars next to Hans.

Hulswitt, the Quaker shortstop, made a pretty play in the fourth inning when he scooped in Bransfield's hot grounder, which had got away from Billy Hallman, and caught the Pirate at first base, the throw being a very long one.

In the first inning Wagner was called out at first on a close play. The Carnegie boy thought he was safe and insisted on remaining on the base. Umpire O'Day soon conveyed the information that he was out, and Hans growled as he returned to the bench.

Sebring contributed the prettiest play of the afternoon to the Quaker's half of the second inning when he gathered in Barry's fly and then shot the ball to Bransfield in time to catch Titus. The Quakers were trying the hit and run game, but it failed to work.

The only error charged against the Pirates was made by Jimmy Sebring in the ninth inning, and it was an excusable misplay. The ball took a bad bound and as Sebring could not get his hands on it it accordingly resulted in an additional base, which accounts for the error.

In the ninth inning Catcher Douglass was sent up to bat for Pitcher Dugglehy, and the big fellow didn't do a thing but tear off a pretty single. It was Douglass who came pretty close to spoiling the shutout on Monday when he was sent in to bat for Pitcher Sparks.

In the seventh inning Roth, the visitors' catcher, drove a liner that Pitcher Wilhelm could not get away from, and the ball nearly tore the pitcher's arm off. The ball caromed off towards right field, but Hans Wagner pounced on it like a cat on a mouse and Roth was a first base victim.

The record made by the Pirates of six successive shutouts is one that is liable to last forever in baseball. The remarkable work of the team is the talk of the country, and the oldest baseball followers are at a loss to dig up anything that comes anywhere near the record made by the Champions.

Chief Zimmer was in uniform and when he made his first appearance on the coaching lines the grand stand spectators gave him such a warm welcome that he doffed his cap and bowed his acknowledgments. The chief continued in the conchor's box until Thomas had come home with the run that broke the Pirates' shutout streak, and he took himself to the players' bench, and was seen no more during the game.

An occupant of the grand stand kept nagging at Umpire O'Day all afternoon, and had some adverse comment to make on every decision. The umpire stood it as long as he could, and finally, in the ninth inning, he turned and gave the grand stander a piece of his mind, and the other occupants of the stand applauded the act. The club officials should see to it that the spectators as well as the players should respect the umpire.

BOSTON AGAIN BEATEN.

The Third Inning Was a Lucky One for Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Three singles, with a gift, a steal and Boston's one error gave the locals three runs in the third. Willis forced in the other on four wide ones with the bases full. Stanley's walk, followed by a scratch triple, saved the visitors from a shutout. Attendance, 1,200. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Harley, r.	1	1	1	1	0	Dexter, m.	0	0	0	0	0
Slagle, l.	0	0	5	0	0	Tenney, l.	0	1	0	0	0
Chance, 1.	1	1	1	0	0	Stanley, r.	1	1	1	0	0
Jones, m.	0	1	1	0	0	Abbatt'o,	2	0	1	2	0
Lowe, 2.	0	0	4	7	1	Carney, r.	0	0	2	0	0
Casey, 3.	0	2	2	2	0	Moran, c.	0	1	6	5	0
Evers, s.	0	0	1	2	2	Gr'nger,	0	0	0	1	0
Kling, c.	0	2	4	1	0	Bonner, s.	0	1	4	4	1
Taylor, p.	0	0	0	3	0	Willis, p.	0	0	0	2	0
						Totals ...	1	5	24	11	1
Totals ...	4	8	27	16	1						

Chicago	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	—4
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Left on bases—Chicago 6, Boston 5. Two-base hit—Bonner. Three-base hits—Chance, Abbattachio. Sacrifice hit—Taylor. Stolen base—Chance. Double plays—Moran and Bonner; Lowe and Chance. Struck out—By Taylor 3, by Willis 4. Bases on balls—Off Taylor 2, off Willis 5. Hit—Willis 5. Hit with pitched ball—Casey, Stanley. Time—1:35. Umpire—Emslie.

POUNDED THE PITCHER.

The Giants Had a Batting Matinee at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—The New Yorks gave a batting matinee here today, pounding out 16 hits. Sanders, who started for the home team, was knocked out of the box in an inning and a half, Mike O'Neill, who succeeded him, was also hit hard. Attendance 600. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell,	2	1	0	1	2	Browne, r.	2	2	0	0	0
D'Arvan, r	1	2	1	0	0	Ersham, l	0	3	2	1	0
Smoot, m.	0	1	2	0	0	Up'Un, m.	2	1	2	0	0
Braih, 3.	0	1	2	3	0	Mertes, l.	2	3	3	1	1
Barclay,	1	0	1	2	0	Bath, s.	1	1	3	3	0
Hackett,	1	0	0	1	0	Lauder, 3.	0	2	0	0	1
Williams, s	0	1	3	1	2	Dunn, 3.	1	1	1	0	0
J.O'Neill, c	0	0	4	1	1	Gilbert, 2.	1	1	3	1	0
Sands'n, p	0	0	0	0	0	H'w'm'n, c	1	2	7	2	0
O'Neill, p	0	1	1	2	1	M'Ginn, p	1	0	0	2	0
						R Miller, p	0	0	1	0	0
Totals ..	2	7*	28	10	6						
						Totals ...	11	16	27	10	1

*Bresnahan out for interfering with batted ball.

St. Louis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
New York	3	0	0	0	0	3	4	1	0	—11

Two-base hits—Mertes, 2; Bresnahan. Three-base hit—Babb. Sacrifice hit—Dunn. Double plays—Bowerman and Gilbert; Gilbert and Bresnahan. Passed ball—J. O'Neill. Stolen bases—Browne, Bowerman. Wild pitch—M. J. O'Neill. First base on balls—Off O'Neill, 3; off Mathewson, 1. Struck out—By Mathewson, 6; by Miller, 1; by O'Neill 4, M. J. O'Neill 2. Hit by pitcher—By O'Neill 4. Left on bases—St. Louis, 7; New York, 7. Time—2:10. Umpires—Holliday and Moran.

THIRTEEN-INNING GAME.

Jamestown Won a Great Pitcher's Battle from Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., June 9.—(Special.)—Jamestown and Johnstown this afternoon played the greatest game of ball and the most exciting ever seen in this section. The fielding on both sides was sensational, but Jamestown showed her stamina, due to her continuous playing, and finished stronger than Johnstown. The work of both pitchers was superb. Score:

Johnst'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Jamest'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Owens, l.	0	0	3	0	0	Hopper, c.	0	0	3	0	0
Goff, c.	0	1	5	1	0	Breen, 2.	0	1	1	5	0
Ferg'n, s	1	2	12	1	0	Reed, 1.	2	4	0	0	0
Kr'tz'l,	0	0	2	3	0	Pizer, c.	0	2	16	1	0
Neary, l.	0	1	18	0	1	Jackson, r.	0	4	0	0	0
Willms, 2.	0	1	1	5	1	Kreuger,	3	0	2	0	1
Murphy, c	0	2	6	0	0	M'Cabe, s.	0	1	2	5	2
M'Guire, r	0	0	1	1	0	Hawkins,	1	0	1	6	0
Doherty, p	0	0	0	1	0	Diebold, p.	0	0	0	4	0
Totals ..	1	7	39	24	2	Totals ...	2	15	39	16	4

Johnstown	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Jamestown	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2

Two-base hits—Ferguson, Redd, Kreuger. Three-base hits—Murphy, Jackson. Sacrifice hits—McClintock, McGuire. Stolen bases—Piper, Murphy, Williams. First base on balls—Hopper, Williams. Struck by pitcher—Hopper. Double plays—Ferguson, Williams and Neary; Doherty and Neary; McClintock and Hawkins. Struck out—Piper 2, Jackson, Hawkins 2, Owens, Goff, Ferguson, Kinsead, McGuire, Doherty 2. Wild pitches—Doherty. Umpire—Hooten. Time—2:10.

One Hit Off Gumbert.

Swissvale won another game last night by defeating the Westinghouse Store Room team in eight fast innings. Gumbert let them down with one hit. Swissvale plays the Sycamores Thursday night. Cottage next Saturday, and arrangements have been made to have the St. Louis Star ladies' baseball club Saturday week. Score:

Swiss'le.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Westing.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Mulrid,	2	0	0	1	2	O'Leary, s	0	0	0	5	1
Gillespie, s	0	2	1	1	1	Cassidy, 3.	0	0	0	0	1
Gumb't, p	1	1	3	2	0	Stewart, l.	0	0	0	0	0
Irwin, 3.	1	2	1	2	0	Horne, r.	1	0	1	0	0
Brisb'n, l	0	1	2	0	0	Davis, 2.	0	0	0	0	0
Pros'r, m	1	2	1	1	0	Sinnott, c	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher, c.	2	1	7	2	0	Ishler, m.	0	0	1	0	0
M'L'gim,	1	1	8	2	1	Love, 1.	0	1	8	0	1
W.H'g's,	0	0	1	0	0	Shardt, p	0	0	0	3	0
						Warden,	0	0	0	0	1
Totals ..	6	11*	23	11	2						
						Totals ...	1	1	21	8	4

*Cassidy out, hit by batted ball.

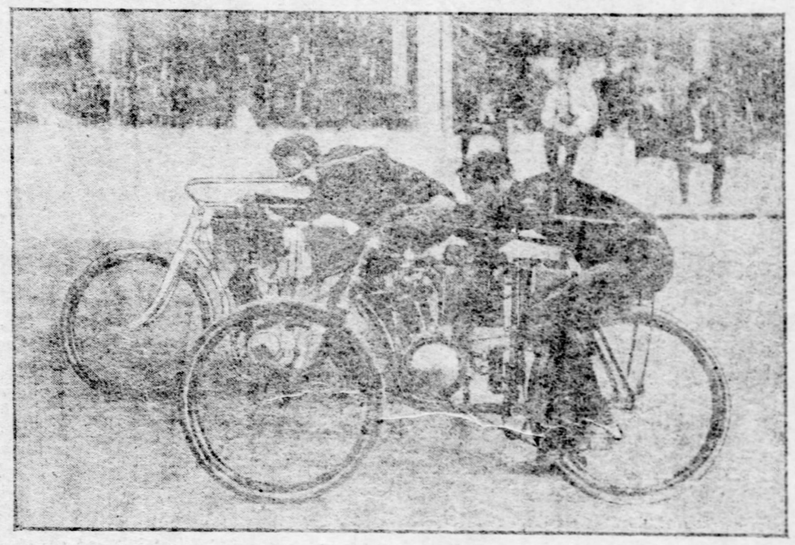
Swissvale	0	2	1	1	0	0	2	*	—6	
Westinghouse	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1

Home run—McLaughlin. Two-base hits—Love, Gillespie. Struck out—By Gumbert, 6; by Ehrhardt, 8. First base on balls—Off Gumbert, 3; off Ehrhardt, 1. Double play—Gumbert and Fisher. Sacrifice hits—Prosser, McLaughlin. Hit by pitcher—Ishler. Umpire—Mason. Attendance—500.

Reading to Replace Rochester.

READING, June 9.—The Reading baseball club today received an invitation to enter the Eastern league in place of Rochester. The matter awaits the sanction of Manager Lawson, who is out of the city. It is believed that Reading will decide to enter the league.

SCENE AT COLOSSEUM



Motor Riders Warming Up Before Start of the Paced Race

DE GUICHARD CAPTURES OPENING MOTOR RACE

In Last Mile of First Heat With Moran He Breaks World's Record.

The 1,500 spectators who attended the opening of the Motor Paced league races at the Colosseum last night, witnessed three fast heats of five miles each between Basil DeGuichard of France, Howard Mettling of Boston and James Moran of Chelsea, Mass., the Frenchman winning. It was an auspicious opening; the people who follow the riders were enthusiastic and one world's record was broken by De Guichard, he doing the last mile of his first heat with Moran in 1:08, which beat the mark of Harry Elks of 1:11 4-5, made in the race at Charles River Park, which resulted in his death. Elk's record was made between the 12th and 13th miles.

The first heat brought together De Guichard and Moran, Kaehler, Stanley and Perrott. Moran never got ahead of Meetling in their heat. Shortly after the start Meetling gained a little, but Moran soon broke down the advantage and in two miles they were traveling at even terms. However, toward the close of the journey, Meetling began to pull away and soon had taken a place one-fourth of a lap in front, making the finish a grim struggle and got going even, but again Meetling was equal to a sprint and gradually worked away and soon had a lead of a quarter and then a half. When the two fringes of the two were being negotiated he was making strenuous efforts to separate himself still farther away. Moran followed his pace somewhat better than Meetling, but never it looked as though he was going to be lost he quickly recovered and got going again. The time was 7:31½.

The third and last heat was contested by De Guichard and Meetling, and in the first mile Meetling rode a race that astonished and made himself a favorite with the crowd. They had not traveled one half of a mile until Meetling was further than ten lengths behind De Guichard from taking one half lap. De Guichard, however, soon brought into play his sprinting and staying qualities and in no time had regained the lost ground, and passed Meetling. On the third mile they were traveling evenly and on the fourth De Guichard had gained one lap, and in the fifth mile he went around at a wonderful rate of speed, completing the final mile in 1:08 and winning the race by one and one-half laps. The time was 6:25, close to a record mark. Summaries:

One mile amateur, handicap—First heat, Wilkie Hall, 50 yards, first; C. C. Hartman, scratch, second; time, 2:12 1-5. Second heat, Sam Shirley, first; J. W. McCue, 60 yards, second; time, 2:08. Third heat, Speight, completing the final mile in 1:18 and winning the race by one and one-half laps. The time was 6:25, close to a record mark. Summaries:

One mile amateur, handicap—First heat, Wilkie Hall, 50 yards, first; C. C. Hartman, scratch, second; time, 2:12 1-5. Second heat, Sam Shirley, first; J. W. McCue, 60 yards, second; time, 2:08. Third heat, Speight, first; William Hoffheldt, 75 yards, second; time, 2:26.

Semi-finals—First heat, Hartman, first; Hall, second; time, 2:18. Second heat, Shirley, first; Bright, second; time, 2:17.

Final heat—Shirley, won; Hartman, second; Hall, third; Bright, fourth; time, 2:15¾.

One mile novices—J. N. White, won; Alex. Yoder, second; time, 1:15½.

Motor paced race—First heat, 5 miles, De Guichard, first; Moran, second; time, 7:25. Second heat, Meetling, first; Moran, second; time, 7:21½. Third heat, De Guichard, won; Meetling, second; time, 6:52.

CHICAGO BATTERS EASY FOR WADDELL

The Butler County Boy Was in Great Form and Allowed but Four Safe Hits.

OWEN WAS BATTED HARD

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	20	16	.556	Chicago	20	20	.500
Philadelphia	21	17	.553	Cincinnati	19	20	.487
St. Louis	21	16	.568	New York	17	23	.425
Cleveland	21	17	.553	Washington	11	28	.268

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, June 9.—Waddell pitched fine ball today and was faultlessly backed up by his teammates, a combination which Chicago could not overcome. The visitors also played good ball, but Owen was hit quite hard. Attendance, 5,820. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hahn,	1	0	0	2	0	Hartzel, l.	1	1	4	0	0
Jones, m.	0	0	4	0	0	Flick, r.	1	1	2	0	0
Green, r.	1	2	3	0	0	Davis, l.	0	2	5	1	0
Call'han,	0	1	1	0	0	Lajoie, 2.	0	2	1	3	0
Isbell, l.	0	0	0	0	0	Ross, c.	0	2	7	0	0
Daly, 2.	0	0	1	2	0	Seybold, r.	0	1	2	0	0
Tanhill, s	0	0	0	2	0	Murphy,	2	2	2	1	0
M'Fee,	0	2	2	0	0	Cross, s.	0	1	4	4	0
Slattry,	0	0	1	1	0	Wolfe,	0	0	2	0	0
Owen, p.	0	1	0	3	0	Waddell, p	0	0	1	2	1
Totals ..	1	4	24	9	0	Totals ...	5	10	27	8	1

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	—5

Two-base hits—Green, Callahan, Hartzel, L. Cross, M. Cross. Three-base hit—Murphy. Stolen base—L. Cross. Left on bases—Chicago 6, Philadelphia 8. First base on balls—Off Owen 2, off Waddell 1. Struck out—By Owen 4, by Waddell 7. Wild Pitches—Owen 1, Waddell 1. Time—1:30. Umpire—Hasset and Carruthers.

GRIFFITH'S TEAM WON.

Chesbro Pitched Well and Davis Was the Star.

NEW YORK, June 9.—On a field resembling a brick yard more than a baseball ground, the locals took the first game of the series from St. Louis today. Both pitchers were effective, but Chesbro had the better support. All of McCormick's error told in the run-getting. The fielding and batting of Davis were the features of the game. Manager Griffith has exchanged Courtney and Jimmy Elberfeld of Detroit, who will join the team Thursday. The score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
A.Davis, l	3	2	3	0	0	Burkett, l.	0	1	4	0	0
Keeler, r.	0	0	1	0	0	Heidrick, m	0	0	2	0	0
Conroy, 3.	0	0	2	1	0	Kahoe, r.	0	0	1	0	0
Will'ms, 2	0	0	1	2	0	Wallace, s.	0	1	0	0	1
M'Far'd, m	0	1	1	0	0	Anderson,	1	1	1	2	0
Ganzel, 1.	1	0	14	1	0	M'Cor'k,	0	0	2	1	3
Ganey, c.	0	0	4	0	0	Padden,	2	0	0	1	1
O'Con'r,	0	0	1	5	0	Kehoe, c.	0	1	5	3	0
Chesbro, p	0	0	0	5	1	Donohue, p	0	0	0	3	0
Totals ..	3	3	27	14	2	Totals ...	1	5	24	9	4

New York	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	*	—3
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Two-base hits—Burkett, Anderson. Three-base hit—Kahoe. Sacrifice hits—Keeler 2, Heidrick, McCormick. First base on balls—Off Donohue 1. First base on errors—New York 3, St. Louis 2. Struck out—By Chesbro 4, by Donohue 6. Stolen bases—Keeler, Conroy. Left on bases—New York 7, St. Louis 5. Time—1:20. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance—1,365.

WINNING STREAK BROKEN.

BOSTON, June 9.—Detroit broke Boston's long series of wins by batting out today's game 7 to 3. Interest centered on Mullin's brilliant pitching in the face of poor support. Winner was knocked out of the box in the second, and hits off Young were also bunched. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
D'gerty,	1	0	0	0	0	Barrett, m	1	0	1	1	1
Collins, 3.	0	0	3	5	0	Lush, 3.	1	2	2	2	1
O'Brien, m	0	1	0	0	0	Crawf'd,	1	1	2	1	1
Fre'm'n, r	1	0	2	0	0	Carr, l.	1	1	5	16	0
Farrell, s.	0	0	1	0	0	Degler, r.	0	0	1	1	0
L'Ch'ce,	1	1	1	8	2	Smith, 2.	1	1	1	5	1
Ferris, 2.	0	0	4	1	0	M'Aster, s	1	1	1	5	2
Smith, c.	0	0	5	8	1	M'Guire, c	0	1	2	4	0
Young, p	0	0	0	1	0	Mullin, p.	0	1	0	6	0
*Stahl	0	0	0	0	0	Totals ...	7	12	27	19	5
Totals ..	3	2	27	13	1						

*Batted for Young in ninth.

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1—3
Detroit	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3—7

Three-base hits—Carr, McAllister. Home run—Carr. Stolen bases—Crawford 2, Carr, Dougherty, Smith. Double plays—Collins and Parent; La Chance, Parent and La Chance. First base on balls—Off Young 3, off Winter 1, off Mullin 1. Struck out—By Young 8, by Mullin 4. Time—2:10. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance—6,884.

SOME HARD HITTING.

Cleveland's Hits Were Most Timely and Brought Victory.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 9.—Cleveland gave Wilson a severe drubbing today and added another game to Washington's column of losses. Wright, too, was hit hard, but after the locals were on hand the necessary hits to score them failed to materialize. Bradley carried off the batting honors, getting three singles, a double and a home run out of five turns at bat. Score:

Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Moran, s.	1	2	3	2	0	Bay, r.	1	2	1	1	0
Selbach,	1	2	3	0	1	Bradley,	3	2	5	0	1
Ryan, m.	0	1	4	0	0	Lajoie, 2.	0	3	4	4	1
Dot'ty,	1	1	3	2	0	Hickm'n,	1	0	1	4	0
Coghlin,	3	1	1	0	0	Clymer,	1	2	1	0	0
Carey,	0	0	0	0	0	Flick,	1	2	2	0	0
Rob'son,	2	0	2	5	4	Gochn'r,	3	0	1	1	2
Clarke, c.	0	0	0	2	0	Abbott, c.	1	1	3	6	1
Wilson, p.	0	0	1	1	0	Wright, p.	1	1	0	4	0
*Lee	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals ..	8	7	17	12	1	Totals ...	8	14	27	20	5

Washington	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	—6
Cleveland	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	2	1	—8

*Ran for Wilson in the ninth.

Two-base hits—Moran 2, Cochnauer, Bay, Bradley. Three-base hit—Flick. Home run—Bradley. Stolen bases—Hickman, Flick. Sacrifice hits—Moran, Ryan, Coughlin, Lajoie. Double play—Clarke to Robinson. Passed ball—Lajoie. First base on balls—Off Wilson 2, off Wright 2. Hit by pitched ball—Wilson. Struck out—By Wilson 4, by Wright 4. Left on bases—Washington 9, Cleveland 10. Wild pitch—Wilson. Time—2:05. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—2,026.

BLAME THE CATCHER.

Risher's Team Won at Waynesburg and the Backstop Is Held Responsible.

WAYNESBURG, PA., June 9.—(Special.)—Risher's Homesteaders jumped on to the local college team today and defeated it 14 to 6. The score would not have been so large had but Call taken a cage of suds when Clutter relieved Phillips in the box. Manager Zimmerman saw fit to change pitchers in the seventh, as Phillips had been hit for a total of eight bases in the preceding inning. Clutter had two men on bases, two out and three strikes on the third, the latter of which Call missed, and a hit scored two runs. Call had a passed ball, leisurely trotted after it, letting in a run, and the crowd left the field. Clutter showed good form and there is no excuse for the hitherto popular catcher's conduct. Slats Burns was hit freely, receiving, however, the best of support. Score:

Way'sb'g.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Homest'd.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Fgh'm, m	2	2	1	0	1	Violet, r.	3	1	2	0	0
Flowers,	1	1	2	12	0	Zdn'sen,	2	3	1	1	2
Morel'k,	2	0	1	1	2	M'Ckey,	2	1	3	3	0
Murd'k,	2	0	0	0	0	Cong've,	2	2	2	1	2
Call, c.	1	1	1	1	3	Raley, l.	1	1	11	1	0
Owen, s.	3	1	1	0	0	Phillips, p	1	1	2	0	0
Fa'n, s.	0	1	0	4	1	M'Cr'y, m	2	0	0	0	0
Miller, l.	1	0	0	3	0	Tate, l.	1	0	1	0	0
Phillips, p	1	0	2	2	0	Burns, p.	0	2	0	2	0
Clutter, p	0	0	0	2	0						
						Totals ...	14	11	27	18	3
Totals ..	6	8	24	15	8						

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NEWS OF THE HOME AND THE SOCIETY WORLD

SOCIETY WOMEN'S CLUBS WOMAN'S CORNER

EXQUISITELY beautiful in its simplicity and charm of nature was the pastoral setting for the production of "As You Like It," yesterday afternoon by the graduates of the Pennsylvania College for Women. Beneath the fine old trees upon the sloping hillside above the winding drive leading from Woodland road to the college buildings, was seated an attentive audience, while in the hollow below was the stage for the actors. All about were trees and flowers, while in the background cows were pasturing in the shade.

The atmosphere of the stage in the Elizabethan period was preserved in almost every particular. The curtains were drawn by two pages attired in white satin doublet and hose, with waving plumes in their caps, the pages being Miss Acsa Ellis and Miss Mary Frye. The drawing aside of the curtains revealed a section of the lawn where the stars performed in their turn in their development of the interesting story of the love of Rosalind and Orlando. The stately trees, supplemented by temporary shrubbery, presented in detail the glades within the forest of Arden, where the like of Burgundy and his courtiers gathered at midday, whither Rosalind, donning her manly costume, ventured with her sister, Celia, and the say Touchstone, and where the trees showed the traces of Orlando's knife in the name, Rosalind.

The play was given with a surprising degree of artistic merit. The Rosalind of Miss Sara Pfeil was winsome and deftly, and was interpreted with a naturalness and grace not unworthy a more experienced actress. Miss Eleanor Duggibon was a gallant Orlando and her rich voice lent an added charm to her graceful interpretation of the part. As Touchstone, the court jester, Miss Anna Hunter was excellent, while the Celia of Miss Harriet Duff was exquisitely girlish and her laugh was deliciously sweet. Miss Anna Petty as Jacques suited the part. An interesting feature of the production was the quartet singing by Miss Laura Shrom, Miss Laura Beilstein, Miss Jennie MacSherry and Miss Anna Hunter. So earnestly and conscientiously have the seniors of the college studied their Shakespeare this past year under the direction of Miss Ella Cheney that they quite caught the spirit of the play and gave it an exceptionally worthy presentation. The entire cast follows:

Duke of Burgundy.....Ruth Johnstin
Frederick.....Ruth Johnstin
Amiens.....Laura Shrom
Jacques.....Anna Mira Petty
Le Beau.....Hilda Sadler
Oliver.....Frances Fitzgibbon
Orlando.....Eleanor Fitzgibbon
Adam.....Jennie McSherry
Dennis.....Pleasance Baker
Charles.....Laura Beilstein
Touchstone.....Anna Hunter
Corin.....Pleasance Baker
Silvius.....Hazel Miller
William.....Laura Beilstein
Sir Oliver Martext.....Florence Van Wagener
Phoebe.....Sara Pfeil
Celia.....Harriet Duff
Phebe.....Hilda Sadler
Audrey.....Jennie McSherry

The students' rehearsals have been conducted by G. Stuart Brodock of the Alvin Theater Dramatic school of this city.

On Saturday afternoon, the original date set for the giving of the play, which this year took the place of the usual class-day exercises, before the rain interfered with the program, Miss Mary Wilson gave her address of welcome and presented the seniors' spade to the class of 1904. The daisy chain was formed on Saturday afternoon, consisting of over 80 of the undergraduates, who marched to the campus carrying chains of daisies.

Miss Mary Grier Willson, daughter of the Rev. B. B. Willson, D. D., of the Reformed Presbyterian Theological seminary in Allegheny has been awarded the university scholarship in English, in competition with students from other institutions, and will spend next year at the University of Pennsylvania. Miss Lida Montgomery of the class of 1902, who took the scholarship for philosophy and spent the past year in Cornell, will return for another school year. Miss Elizabeth Bigger, one of the same class has been taking post-graduate work in chemistry at Bryn Mawr and returns for another year.

Mathieu—Richter.

The marriage of Miss Marie Agnes Mathieu, the daughter of George A. Mathieu of North Highland avenue, and Edward Richter was a large and handsome ceremony last evening in SS. Peter and Paul's Roman Catholic church, Larimer avenue, East End.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Joseph Richter of Grand Rapids, Mich., an uncle of the groom, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Father Joseph Suehr and the Rev. Father George Guenther, rectors of the church, and the Rev. Father Henry Mathieu Dorenkit of the Holy Ghost college. Standards of white lilies marked the path of the bridal party, and the same flowers in combination with palm and other foliage were used to the decoration of the altar before which the party stood.

The large bridal party included Miss Bessie Riddl, the maid of honor, who wore voile and lace and carried white daisies tied with blue ribbons; Miss Marie Mathieu, Miss Gertrude Hoeveler and Miss Nellie Bigley, the bridesmaids, who were in white chiffon over blue, carried white sweet peas, also tied with the blue. The bridal gown was a beautiful creation of white lace made with a full court train. The long tulle veil was caught with a cluster of orange blossoms and a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley was carried. Louis G. Richter of Birmingham, Ala., served as his brother's best man, and the seven ushers were Edward J. Sullivan of Cincinnati, William Flood Rafferty, George R. Mathieu, the bride's brother, Sidney Van Duser, Aaron Fell, William Bogart Hutchinson and Leroy Gallaher.

A large reception followed in private apartments at the Hotel Schenley, where the wedding colors, blue and white, were carried out with roses and ribbons. Mr. and Mrs. Richter were assisted in receiving by the former's sister, Mrs. Joseph Richter of Cincinnati, and by Mrs. J. A. E. Hoeveler and Mrs. John R. C. Schmidt, aunts of Mrs. Richter. At-home cards will not be issued until after the return of the young couple from their bridal trip, which will be of several weeks' duration.

Previous to the church rehearsal on Monday evening Mr. Mathieu entertained the bridal party at dinner at the Hotel Schenley. Here the table decorations were carried out with pink roses and maiden-hair fern. Advantage was taken of the occasion for a presentation of the bridal gifts—white lace fans from Miss Mathieu for her maids and scarf pins for the men from Mr. Richter. Mr. Richter is traveling passenger agent of the Illinois Central railroad.

Weddings Today.

This will be a day of weddings, and there will be at least a half-dozen which will be of wide social interest in Pittsburgh. Prominent among them will be the wedding of Miss Lucy Haskell Christy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Christy of Sewickley, and Frank Scott Willock. The afternoon trains to Sewickley will carry a large number of guests from Pittsburgh and Allegheny. The marriage will be solemnized in the First Presbyterian church of Sewickley at 5 o'clock this afternoon and will be followed by a large reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christy, Frederick and Walnut avenues. The house is a large, hospitable mansion with wide piazzas and upon the extensive lawn stands a large marquee, where the wedding supper will be served. Though living in Sewickley, Mr. Willock has been identified with the younger social set in Pittsburgh and has been the popular leader for cotillions during the last few years and one of the three young men who planned the Monday night cotillions. Miss Christy has been prominent as at the Allegheny Country club for the excellent game of golf she puts up.

Yesterday Mrs. DeWitt S. Nettleton gave a girls'-no party through the Sewickley valley for the bride's party, her guests including Miss Lucy Christy, Miss Ethel Christy, Miss Abbie Christy, Miss Daisy Miller, Mrs. Richard R. Quay, Miss Stella Hays, Miss Marie Baldwin, Miss Bertha Andrews and Miss Mollie Andrews, together with Miss Meta Semple, Miss Mary Chaplin and Miss Bishop, who is visiting Miss Chaplin. In the evening William P. McVay gave a dinner at the Allegheny Country club for the entire bridal party, the men including Frank S. Willock, James H. Willock, who will be the best man, and William W. Willock, Bayard Christy, J. Walter Rhodes, Harry D. McCandless, Thomas O'Connor Jones, William B. Scaife, Pittsburgh, and Allan D. Wood and Benjamin Welles of Philadelphia, who will be the ushers.

Among the other weddings of social prominence today will be that of Miss Amy Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Young, and Dr. George Oliver Evans of Uniontown, which will occur at the Shady Avenue Baptist church this evening. In the Shadyside Presbyterian church will occur the wedding of Miss Frances DeForest Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Martin of Dallas avenue, and Charles Henry Breed.

Two home weddings enlist much interest. Miss Helen Pearson and George W. Biggs, Jr., will be married this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents in Dennistown avenue. The wedding of Miss Bessie Bissell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Bissell, and Harry J. Hinternhoff of New York will take place today at the home of the Bissells in Maitland avenue, East End. Another East End wedding will be that of Miss Marjorie Emily Learned, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Learned of North St. Clair street, and Arthur Brundage McLeod of Elmira, N. Y.

Cinderella in Flowerland.

The annual mothers' day and kindergarten exercises at Mt. Mercy academy took the form of a charming little operetta entitled "Cinderella in Flowerland; or the Lost Lady's Slipper," which was given yesterday afternoon in the hall of the academy in Fifth avenue. The operetta was given by the children of the kindergarten and transition classes, which include Marian Schmidt, Beulah Trawlinger, Margaret Barry, Karl Huth, Henry Whitehouse, Jr., Chester Felix, Florence Wiseman, Agnes Cavanagh, Margaret Campbell, Marian O'Brien, Florence McEvoy, Edith Owens, Gertrude Smith, Mary Murphy, Gladys Felix, Alphonsene Miljean, Pauline Staley, Edna Flannery, Helen McKenna, Hilda Eberhardt, Dorothy Owens, Isabella Kirk, Irwin Dean, Homer Straub, Malcolm Dowling, Ross Cavanagh, John Kelly, Francis McNally, James Murphy, Sterling Linderman, Devoe Norton, Ronald Schmuck, John O'Reilly, Lyman Feeney, Kenneth Felix, John Morin, John Dobbins and Charles Owens. There were also several musical numbers which included a duet, Grieg's "Bridal Procession," by Nellie McCrory and Clara McCrey; "Le Papillion," a piano solo by Hilda Luther; "Kammenoj," Ostrow-Rubinstein, by Miss Mary Hickey, and Beethoven's Minuetto, Nellie McCrory and Clara McCarfrey, in connection with the entertainment there was an exhibition of water colors, the work of the pupils. On Friday, June 19, the commencement exercises will be held. There will be an exhibit of china painting at that time.

Christie-Moulton.

STEUBENVILLE, O., June 9.—(Special.)—A pretty home wedding here this evening was that of Miss Florence Beaton Christie and Wallace C. Moulton of Mingo Junction. The bride is a daughter of the late Dr. J. H. Christie, formerly of Allegheny. The ceremony was performed at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. E. Christie, in North Third street. The house was handsomely decorated in pink and white. The wedding march was played by Miss Emma Campbell, with violin obligato by Miss Elmyra Johnston of Bellevue, Pa. The bride was given away by her brother, L. R. Christie, and Miss Mary Christie, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor. J. F. Scarratt was best man. The Rev. Dr. W. E. Irvin of the Second Presbyterian church performed the ceremony. The bride's gown was of white silk mousseline and she carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Christie, Allegheny; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Christie, Butler; Mrs. B. B. Brady, Franklin; Mrs. S. M. Rose, Mrs. Sarah McClure, Frank, Emmett, Jennie, Sarah and Bettie McClure, Miss Jeannette Palmer, William Miller, Miss Emma Johnston, Miss Eleanor Frazier, Mrs. D. E. Henry, Mrs. Dr. and Mrs. Holliday, all of Pittsburgh. The couple, after a wedding trip, will make their home in Mingo Junction.

Mitchell-Yeomans.

FRANKLIN, PA., June 9.—(Special.)—The wedding of Miss Mary L. Mitchell, daughter of Mrs. John L. Mitchell, and Howard William Yeomans of Cleveland, was a large and fashionable affair in the First Presbyterian church here, at noon, today. Miss Jane E. Mitchell, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the bride was given away by her brother, John R. Mitchell of Winona, Minn. The bridesmaids were Miss Elsie Burk, Miss Marjorie Dodd of New York, Miss Mae Hyde Palmer of Philadelphia; Miss Mary Waldo of Houston, Tex.; Miss Grace Whiting of Boston, Miss Kate Grant and Miss Marie Bosler of Franklin. The ushers were David E. Mitchell of Pittsburgh, Charles A. Zeigler of Philadelphia, Dr. J. Mitchell, Thomas H. Mitchell, Dr. A. M. Brown and John McCalmont Wilson of Franklin. The Rev. Robert B. Beattie officiated and the Rev. N. H. Holmes of Bellevue pronounced the benediction. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother. After an extended wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Yeomans will be at home in Cleveland.

James—Ewing.

NEW YORK, June 9.—(Special)—At the James cottage, in Saratoga, this afternoon, the marriage of Miss Mary Guthrie James, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. James, and Thomas Ewing, a son of the late Judge Thomas Ewing of Pittsburgh, Pa., took place.

The Rev. Herbert M. Gesner, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, officiated. A brother of the bridegroom, Dr. James Ewing of New York city, was best man. Mrs. Sherman Downs, a sister of the bride, acted as matron of honor, and a niece, Miss Helen James, was the flower girl. The newly married couple left early this evening on a trip to Canada. They will make Pittsburgh their future home.

The wedding was a small and quiet affair, but among the guests were several Pittsburgh relatives of the bridegroom. Mr. Ewing is a brother of Mrs. George E. Shaw of Morewood avenue, Shadyside, and the engagement of Miss James and Mr. Ewing was announced last fall after Miss James had returned home from a long visit to Mrs. Shaw during the summer.

Festivities for a Bridal Party.

Several entertainments will be given for the attendants at the wedding of Miss Gail Hunter and Frank Fleming Slick, which will take place in the United Presbyterian church of Turtle Creek, on Tuesday evening, June 16. Miss Martha Gallagher of Johnstown, Miss Celia Stadler of Mt. Vernon, O., and Miss Mary Gailbreath of Baltimore arrived on Monday at Miss Hunter's home where they will be entertained over the wedding. Today Mrs. J. Grant Anderson of North Highland avenue, East End, will give a tin shower for the bride-elect; on Thursday Miss Martha Boyd will give a card party at her home in Turtle Creek, and on Friday Mrs. W. R. Baisinger of Neville street, will give a luncheon at the Country club and in the evening a theater party at the Duquesne garden. On Saturday Miss Leonora Stewart of North avenue, Braddock, will give a luncheon and on Monday evening Miss Hunter will give a dinner for the bridal party.

An Interesting Engagement.

An engagement has been announced to a few intimate friends during the last few days which has occasioned no little interest. It is that of Miss Gertrude A. Mueller, daughter of J. H. Mueller of Dithridge street, and Robert Wilson Bissell of the East End. The engagement was not to have been formally announced until July. The wedding will take place in the early fall. Miss Mueller is a sister of Mrs. Joseph E. Willetts, who was Miss Edna H. Mueller, and whose wedding to Dr. Willetts was a brilliant event of a year ago. Both sisters are superb horsewomen, and among the best and most daring riders in the Riding club. Mr. Bissell is a son of Mrs. William S. Bissell of Woodland road, near Shady avenue, East End.

Tally-ho to Keating's.

A merry party made up of members of the Five club, post graduates of the Kindergarten college, class of 1902, took a tally-ho ride out the Perrysville road to Keating's yesterday afternoon, where supper was served. In the party were Miss Olga Kropff, Miss Elinor Stewart, Miss Florence Dickey, Miss Jessica Childs, Miss Sarah Boyd, Miss Jane Patton, Miss Bess Dawson, Miss Elizabeth Murray, Miss Olive McCutcheon, Miss Catherine Borland, Miss Nete Merrill, Miss Sarah Clark, Miss Leila Redman, Miss Elizabeth Fowler, Miss Rena Sharp and Miss Florence Ehwer.

U. P. Annual Lawn Fete.

The annual lawn fete of the United Presbyterian Women's association will be held on the grounds of the Home for Aged People, Penn and Trenton avenues, Wilkinsburg, on Thursday, June 8, from 2 until 10 o'clock. A supper will be served. Provision will be made to hold the entertainment indoors in case of rain. The affair will be given for the benefit of the three institutions under the care of the association—the Orphans' home, the Memorial hospital and the Home for Aged People.

Hill-Barr.

Miss Emily Hill and Dr. Malcolm H. Barr were married at 6 o'clock last evening by the Rev. D. L. Marsh of Allequippa, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hill, Rosedale farm, near Carnot. Forty guests were present. Dr. and Mrs. Barr left last night for an eastern honeymoon and upon their return will reside in the bridegroom's new home in the East End, Pittsburgh.

Miss Keil Will Be the Soloist.

An interesting musical program in connection with the Kindergarten college commencement exercises to be held at 8 o'clock this afternoon in the Pittsburgh Carnegie lecture hall, has been arranged under the direction of Miss Alice K. Snyder, of the college faculty. Miss Ella Keil will be the soprano soloist of the afternoon.

Dance at Kennywood.

An enjoyable dance was given last evening in the Kennywood park pavilion by the Iroquois club. The committee in charge of the arrangements consisted of John F. Mueller, John A. Staley, Jr., J. A. Vilsack, William B. McKenna, Albert F. Hill, Paul H. Mueller, Frank G. Cuhley and Harry T. Frauenheim.

Wedding in Ohio.

At the home of the bride's parents in Tiffin, O., tomorrow, J. S. Matson, superintendent of the Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad, of Greenville, will be married to Miss Florence Baltzell.

Notes of Society.

Miss Sara Keil gave a luncheon yesterday afternoon at her home in Westminster street, Shadyside, for Miss Amy Young and her bridesmaids.

Mrs. James Todd gave a card party yesterday afternoon, six-hand euchre being played at her home in Sewickley.

Miss Anna Weinberg and Isaac Goldsmith will be married Tuesday, June 23, 8:30 o'clock at the home of Joseph Weinberg, St. Clair street, East End.

Mrs. Marshall Christy will give a breakfast this morning for her sister-in-law, Miss Daisy Christy, who is to marry Frank Stoudamire at their wedding later in the day.

Mrs. Joseph P. Nevin entertained at cards yesterday morning in Sewickley in honor of Mrs. William W. Collins, who leaves today for Northampton, Mass., to attend the commencement at Smith college, and later to go to Arkansas, her new home. The prizes were won by Mrs. Howard Blair, Mrs. Theodore Nevin, Mrs. George Tener and Miss Hannah Nevin.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

William J. Conley	East Pittsburgh
Sue McClaren	East Pittsburgh
J. L. Hufnagel	Pittsburgh
Mary A. Hellerbach	Pittsburgh
George Hutchinson	Allegheny
Katie Joyce	Allegheny
Louis J. Brockhoff	Pittsburgh
Edward A. Neubert	Pittsburgh
John Edmunds	Braddock
Torilchia Toy	Rankin
Leonard A. Fisher	Pittsburgh
Margaret A. Baker	Pittsburgh
Austin W. Eaton	Murdockeville
Ida White	Murdockeville
Richard Ellis	Pittsburgh
Lucy McCluskey	Pittsburgh
E. M. Glauber	Pittsburgh
Clara M. Alberton	Sharpsburg
William H. Pritchard	Pittsburgh
Philomena Snyder	Pittsburgh
Henry Scott	East McKeesport
Sarah C. Smith	Coulter
Albert P. Jageman	Pittsburgh
Margaret Meier	Mt. Oliver
Edward L. Ingleman	Allegheny
Elizabeth Eckhardt	Pittsburgh
Michael D. Hanley	Pittsburgh
Pauline Coll	Bellevernon
George A. Sullivan	East Pittsburgh
Margaret Sullivan	Pittsburgh
Reginald J. Meek	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth A. Beltz	McKees Rocks
Lawrence Smith	Allegheny
Barbara Schles	Allegheny
Joseph H. Simpson	Connellsville
Jessie A. Purdy	Pittsburgh
George J. Abel	Pittsburgh
Matilda Abel	Pittsburgh
Isaac B. Jones	Allegheny
Mary Harris	Pittsburgh
Fred Kreickemeyer	McDonald
Paula Stroke	McDonald
William Schaill	Allegheny
Sarah Lasher	Allegheny
D. C. Wilson	Avalon
Eleanor I. Matthews	Avalon
John A. Mohr	Allegheny
Rosalia M. Stoehler	Allegheny
E. F. Hunter	Windber
Emma J. Peters	Marysville
James H. Baker	Pittsburgh
Mary E. Patterson	Etna
Nicolaus Schmidt	Pittsburgh
Jessie D. Scroll	Pittsburgh
John Kopcsek	Sharpsburg
Margaret Silbernagle	Sharpsburg
Elmer Madison	Butler
Ada McFadden	McKees Rocks

The woman who does not know when to end a call, who begins to go some hours before the door actually closes behind her, who stands by her chair, once she has managed to rise and continues the conversation while the hostess tries in vain to appear interested and cordial. Then the guest will inch her way out into the hall, only to stop there for another lengthy chat. Again she starts and this time gets her hand on the door knob. Then she starts. Finally the door is slowly opened and she gradually gets outside. On the porch and steps she lingers for a few more parting words and finally departs, leaving her hostess thoroughly fatigued by the ceremony of saying farewell.

The Slow Departure Guest.

This type of woman is too common. She is numbered among the biggest bores we know. It would seem even to those of limited intelligence that a call once over, the guest depart without undue haste, but without any delay. Some hostesses are adepts in the art of getting rid of a slow-departure guest. "So sorry you must go, but you must come again very soon," and while she says these words she advances to the door, opens it dexterously, insinuates the guest outside while they shake hands, and quickly shuts the door. But it must be done cleverly or not at all.

SALLIE CARROLL.

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Chiffon gowns, white, black, and colored, are also fashionable, and the accordion-pleated ones are exceedingly smart. Many of these are made without any trimming on the skirt, others have clusters of chiffon ruchings, while others, again, are made with bands of lace insertion and a broader band around the hem—or where the hem would be if hems had not gone out of fashion. These pleated skirts are not becoming to all figures, however, and the yoke effect is often used, the yoke not only on the skirt, but on the waist, too. Rather a novel design has the yoke on the skirt, and the body of the waist of jet paillettes with the lace below the yoke of the skirt and around the shoulders either a straight band of lace or the bertha which is so fashionable at present. White laces is used for the bertha, though, instead of black, even with the all-black gown, and all the black lace gowns are made over white instead of black this year; it is rather unusual to see an all-black evening gown. Even for mourning white crepe is used instead of black.

Fashions in Skirts.

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The new dust coats are in mastic cloth, with a cape fitting the shoulders, attached with small gold buttons on either side of the opening, and charmingly finished at the throat with a broad turned-down collar of scarlet braided with thin lines of black, white and gold, and a long knot and ends, falling nearly to the feet, in black surrah. For those blessed with fair hair there is nothing prettier than a hat of tan lle de vin straw outlined with a mass of shaded roses in the same peculiar coloring. White roses and biscuit straw are also a happy combination, the roses placed one next the other without leaves beneath the broad flat brim, the crown trimmed with a pleated handkerchief in biscuit muslin edged with wide Alencon falling in points upon the hair at the back. The flat hats are certainly charming, but beware of a windy day. All the hatpins in your possession will not keep the plateau from raising itself into the air in front. If the slightest breeze is blowing there is nothing to equal the colored straw type with the two "diavolo" wings on one side.

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Pen Picture of Mrs. Roosevelt.

She is a linguist, a musician and a woman of literary tastes. She has a singularly graceful and dignified carriage, and a low, cultivated voice. She has two peculiarities—a sense of humor and no fads.

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What we may call artificial vinegar is manufactured in some cases by adding some of this ferment called "mother of vinegar" to large vessels of dilute alcohol. In other cases the alcohol is allowed to trickle slowly through a large cask loosely filled with beech shavings, which are supposed to have special efficacy in the matter. Holes at the sides admit the air, and the shavings, by spreading the alcohol out in a thin surface, assist in the action of the air upon it, and in this way acetic acid is created.

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A Delightful Salad.

A novel salad is made by chopping up three medium-sized apples, two cold potatoes, several stalks of celery, and a piece of onion. These were lightly mixed together with a wooden salad fork and turned upon a bed of lettuce leaves. A cup of mayonnaise salad dressing was poured over them and some chopped English walnuts add piquancy to the dish.

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Braddock Alumni Banquet.

The annual banquet and reception of the Braddock Borough High School Alumni association, in honor of the class of 1903, was held Monday evening in the Second Ward High school building, the toastmaster was Prof. Edgar Little, principal of the High school. The toasts were as follows: "All Sorts," Louis Sherwin; "Relation of Alumni Association to the High School," Miss Alta Grace Ellis; "The Class Motto, Byron's Second Maxim," Miss Lena Nevins; "University Life in Philadelphia," Mulford Fisher; "Past and Present," Charles Crow; "The Boys," Miss Nettie Nemoit; "The School Board Vision," Miss Knorr; "The High School," Prof. Grant Noss; "The Class of 1903," Miss Mabel Lotsman, valedictorian of the graduating class.

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THE STRAITH HAVEN—Open all year, Kentucky ave., near Beach. Steam heat; special rates. Special attention given to cuisine and service. Albert E. Gamble, manager, formerly Grand Pacific, Chicago, and Hotel Pierrepont, New York.

Two minutes' walk from Penna. Depot.

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Under the management of the well-known OWEN KELLY of Philadelphia. Opposite Reading depot. Open all year.

Second Door From Beach. Terms $8 to $12.

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Tennessee av. Mrs. L. Johnston. Home comforts.

EDEN-HALL—5 minutes from Beach and depots; first-class table; special rates till July. Mrs. M. Henry, Prop. A. M. McLaughlin, Mgr.

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HOTEL SAN JOSE Beach end of St. James Place. One minute walk to piers. $1.50 to $3.00 per day. Table the best.

SLOOP YACHT ALERT, fast, safe and comfortable. The best equipped boat in the inlet fleet. Address Capt. Charles W. Gall, Fishsman's Wharf, Atlantic City.

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BOWKER'S COMMERCIAL HOUSE.

Mississippi ave. and the Beach. Bath house attached. W. W. BOWKER, Proprietor.

NEW HOTEL WORTHINGTON, Missouri and Pacific aves. Steam heat; $2 to $15 per week. J. B. Worthington.

RESORTS.

Atlantic City, N. J.

HOTEL LA TOURAINE—Kentucky ave., near Beach; special rates, $8 to $15 a week. MRS. A. B. CULP, Prop.

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Tennessee Ave. and Beach. First class family house; capacity 200. Booklet. G. W. Carmany.

Ocean Grove, N. J.

UNITED STATES HOTEL.

Cor. Main and Beach Aves., Ocean Grove, N. J. One block from Ocean. Unobstructed view. Open May 20, under entirely new management. Modernized. Electric lights in all rooms. Sanitary plumbing, gas; excellent cuisine and service. Hotel stage at all trains. Terms moderate. Booklet. E. V. & A. L. Waldorf.

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THE MAJESTIC.

On beach front and Ocean Pathway; modern equipment; elevator. Telephone. Booklet. CLEMENT & CLEMENT.

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THE HICKS High grade hotel. Adjoining beach; capacity 200. Largest guest rooms in Asbury Park. Booklet. HICKS & CO.

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Best of Salmon Fishing now on, followed by bass.

PAST PROSPEROUS, FUTURE IS BRIGHT

Annual Meeting and Election of the Pittsburgh Flour and Grain Exchange.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT

Files Complaints Against Charges and the Methods of Handling Freight by Railroads—Suggests That the Matters Be Carried Into Courts for Legal Tests.

Twelve of the 13 members of the board of managers of the Pittsburgh Flour and Grain exchange were chosen yesterday at the annual election and meeting of the exchange. For the thirteenth place there is a tie, which will necessitate another ballot. Those chosen were, John Floyd, J. W. Smith, A. H. Sunshine, W. A. McCaffrey, Robert Austen, Robert Thorne, Philip Geidel, Jr., Charles Herb, D. G. Stewart, Henry G. Morgan, S. R. Patterson and Samuel Wallon. The board will organize tomorrow morning, when a president, secretary, treasurer, superintendent and inspector will be elected.

The report of the superintendent for the past year showed that 19,565 carloads of hay and grain had been inspected as against 19,360 the preceding year. These were as follows: 1,464 cars wheat; 1,831 cars corn, 4,400 cars oats, 753 cars rye, 811 cars feed, 9,471 cars hay and 796 cars straw.

President W. A. McCaffrey read a carefully prepared and encouraging report of the history of the exchange for the year just closed, in which he said:

THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

Obedient to the laws of this association, we have assembled here today, the close of the 21st year of our existence, to receive reports from our officers and to elect new managers for the ensuing year. At the present time we find this nation at peace with the whole world, and prosperous beyond exception; our own city the busiest spot in the universe. For these blessings we thank Divine Providence, who has been so considerate for our welfare, that it bestowed upon us an abundance. The health of our people being good, contentment must assuredly rule, and taking it generally, we are a happy, prosperous people.

The individual members of this exchange all report an increase of business over previous years, which inevitably means a pecuniary gain. At this time, while we are enjoying prosperity in articles of food, not an unforseen depression, it would not be amiss for the receivers of this market, by an organized effort through the medium of this exchange, to place a check rein on credit, which we all agree is extremely cheap, when you take into consideration the risks we incur in handling hay, grain, etc., vexatious delays and the liability to perish while in transit, honoring sight drafts very often 30 days before arrival of car. In my opinion we are poorly enough paid, without being compelled to wait indefinitely for settlement.

MEMBERS ARE HONORABLE.

As a rule there are no merchants more honorable than hay and grain dealers. There are trades and deals made every day amounting to hundreds of dollars without the scratch of a pen, all parties carrying out their agreement to the letter without a complaint. Nor is there any other class of people engaged in any business which requires sener judgment or quicker action, as you well know the nature of our work is such that in making purchases and sales we must act instantly.

I have no doubt that these statements will be refuted by some, in so far as it relates to our remuneration. But while it is true that quite a number of our older members are interested and connected with some of our leading financial institutions, yet none are investing in skyscrapers, nor are they promoting any gigantic combinations or trusts; on the contrary, they are happy if they can meet their drafts. But what they lack in riches they more than abound in character; grown gray in the service, we meet them daily on the floor of the exchange; in trading they can still teach us a few tricks, giving us a handshake and arriving at the goal in the lead. Their deficiency in this world's goods is more than equalled in honor and respect. Their example is a good one to follow, and when at this life enthuses the balance of us with the same noble ambition. Who would rather not hold the love and admiration of his fellow men than be wealthy?

FREIGHT CONGESTION.

One year ago we had occasion to refer to the congested condition of the railroads, more particularly to their terminals in and around this city. The railroad committee of our exchange took this matter up with a zeal and with that was commendable, acting in an intelligent and direct manner. That their efforts have not been crowned with success is through no fault of theirs.

The officials of one great line, handling the largest percentage of the commodities in which we deal, agreed to the grouping of hay and grain into one section of the outer yards, which was the only alternative under the circumstances. For some time this agreement was carried out faithfully, but at this moment the method of handling our interests is entirely unsatisfactory, troublesome and expensive to the trade, so much so, that in many cases it requires two men to do the work formerly performed by one. They scatter our goods throughout the yards in such a manner that it takes until noon to locate and inspect them, and very often we are unable to find them at all. To say that this system is a hardship on the dealers in general is putting it mildly. The railroad authorities meet these charges with the answer, "We are doing the best we can." This assertion only tends to further confirm the general belief that the lines entering this city are utterly unable to cope with the business entrusted to them. Pittsburgh is the largest freight handling district in the world, and in order to handle this immense tonnage speedily and without friction, we need at least as many railroads as Greater New York or the city of Chicago.

A VALUABLE BUSINESS.

Another prominent railroad agent is quoted as saying that the line he represents does not want to haul hay, grain, etc., as it is not profitable. We cannot contradict this assertion too strongly, and would call his attention to the fact that the estimated value annually of the consumption of these commodities in this market is placed by authorities at $20,000,000, and as the freight charges figure in the cost of all merchandise, a conservative estimate of their share of the revenue derived from these goods would be $3,000,000, or 15 per cent; no mean sum. I doubt very much if this gentleman voices the sentiments of his superior officers.

We are opposed to the obnoxious method at present in vogue of charging switching and demurrage on cars not moved within the time limit. These charges are not applied for revenue, but as a penalty, in a spirit of punishment. They usually wipe out our profit in the transaction. It is not a matter of choice on our part that shipments remain over the hour set for their free movement, on the contrary, we are exceedingly anxious to reconsign them, and do so at the earliest possible opportunity; but no matter how alert or careful we may be, in some cases unavoidable contingencies may arise that would make this action well nigh impossible. We should urge the abolition of the switching rule, as the demurrage charge of $1 per day is more than sufficient compensation for the detention of their equipment.

THE PER DIEM SYSTEM.

Some time ago a high railroad magnate stated that the per diem system as inaugurated by the railroads of this country, wherein they charge each other 20 cents per day as an equitable reimbursement for the use of a car. If this is a sufficient amount for their connections to pay, $1 per day per car from their patrons is extortion. We object to this charge because it is arbitrary and one sided. They hold our our shipments indefinitely, in many cases from 30 to 60 days, making delivery to suit their own convenience, very often bringing them all forward at once, thus unjustly causing a violent decline in the market and thereby producing a heavy loss. We also protest against this charge because it is not consistently taxed or collected. I learn from undoubted authority that large manufacturers within the boundaries of Greater Pittsburgh pay no attention and treat with indifference the demands for this rental, while the ordinary victim is pursued with the persistence employed by the bad debt collector.

I would recommend that the executive committee of this exchange engage legal talent to bring this matter before the proper tribunal. I have no doubt it would decide that the present car service charge is unjust and excessive, and would rule that we are entitled to a reform charge for the detention or delay in delivery whenever it may occur. This decision by a court of equity would eventually compel them to make a satisfactory rate. I pledge my support and share of the cost to contest this question and carry the same to a successful issue, should the organization so decide.

We find the phenomenal growth of our business on the side tracks of our shipments outside the city, is not only a hardship on the trade, but is equally as hard on our inspector; so much so, that many of our most active members advocate the employment of more assistants in order to lighten the work of our present energetic chief, placing them on salary instead of paying by fee, the method now employed. This matter is now in the hands of a special committee, their personnel is sufficient guarantee of the wisdom of their decision.

NEED FOR HAY SHEDS.

I would again refer to the subject of terminal warehouses or hay sheds, but the necessity of and positive benefit to be derived therefrom to all parties concerned do not permit of any argument, and we have also gone into the matter deeply enough to ascertain the fact that we can have them, should we desire it.

We hail with delight the flag of the Wabash, and how any reasonable man, with the interest of home and city at heart, could place an obstacle in the way of its entry to our city, raise a voice secretly or otherwise, or in any manner attempt to prevent this great trunk line from coming into this territory, we are at a loss to understand. The grain and hay men are particularly interested in its reaching Pittsburgh, and continuing to the seaboard, traversing, as it does, the most fertile fields of the west opening up to this great city a farming section that abounds in our necessities and bringing the same to our door.

As we see the horseless carriage flying through our streets we note a feeling of anxiety in some quarters as to our future. Fifteen years ago, as the electric motor succeeded the Fifth avenue bill, followed later by the trolley, and more recently by the bicycle, it was freely predicted on all sides that our usefulness as distributors of hay, grain and its feed products was at an end. Today the consumption of these commodities on this market is greater than ever. I predict that posterity will see an increase in volume of business amounting to 100 per cent in another quarter of a century.

Cheer up, fellow hayseeds; have no fear, there will always be room in this world for the Boniface, exactly as Dan Bell dismisses this subject with the appropriate expression of the witty son of the Emerald Isle, "It is time enough to bid the devil good morning when you meet him."

INCREASE IN MEMBERSHIP.

We have received seven new members during the year, and deplore the fact that the framers of the constitution and by-laws of this association have not made provision for the annual shock of clock through the listing of membership, for causes incidental to an association of this kind. I would recommend curative legislation covering this question at the earliest possible moment.

The treasurer's report will show our finances in excellent shape, with a good balance on the right side of the ledger. The records as compiled by our superintendent are very gratifying. His statement of the number of carloads lots arriving will reveal a substantial increase over last year.

Our meeting today is particularly pleasant and joyous, for on calling the roll all members are present. We thank the Almighty for his infinite goodness in not having thinned our ranks during the past year, none having been called to that unknown world from which no man returns.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the members generally for their uniform kindness, courtesy, advice and assistance throughout the year, and assure you that my term as president of this exchange shall always be a pleasant memory of my life, and would ask for my successor the same kindly feeling and assistance.

HAYS AND BIGELOW ARE DOING THE WORK ALONE

Numerous Committees Dispensed With in Making Fourth of July Arrangements.

Mayor Hays and Director Bigelow are making arrangements for the Fourth of July celebration without the assistance of the numerous committees that have heretofore attended the preparations for Independence day. This is done to save expense. Representatives of the various daily newspapers are on the committee to prepare the program.

Subscriptions to the fund were received yesterday from Joseph Horne Company, $25; Dilworth, Porter & Company, $100; N. Holmes & Son, $25; Olmstead's cafe, $20; Louis J. Adler & Company, $10; James Lappan Manufacturing Company, $10; Bindley Hardware Company, $25; Western Savings and Deposit bank, $25; Carbon Steel Company, $25; Rea & Company, $25; Wilson-Snyder Manufacturing Company, $25; Booth & Flinn, $100, and Oliver & Snyder Steel Company, $100; total, $540. Previously reported $700; grand total, $1,240.

The contributions to the Allegheny Fourth of July fund yesterday reached an even $600. The contributions follow: Previously reported, $305; H. J. Heinz Company, $25; I. P. Harbison, $10; W. Miller, $10; Calvin Wells, $25; Fred Buehler, $10; Booth & Flinn, $50; Patterson Coal & Sand Company, $25; George W. Guy, $10; Ernest L. Neeley, $10; J. K. Hack & Brother, $10; W. W. Davis, $5; John Flaherty, $5; McClinton & Company, $10; C. L. Hanny & Company, $5; Joseph Illinberger, $10; Julia C. Duystle, $5; J. & W. Wetzell, $5; J. & H. Phillips, $10; A. R. Hamilton, $25; Kerr Coal Company, $25; Charles W. Ketil, $50.

HASSLER SWORN IN.

New City Clerk Takes Charge. Old Official Force Remains for the Present.

Edgar W. Hassler was yesterday sworn in as city clerk by John S. Lambie, president of select council, and assumed his duties without delay. The former clerks, E. J. Martin and W. C. Gearing, were busy during the day packing up their effects, taking their final departure from the city hall last evening. H. B. Davis, the assistant city clerk, was sworn in Monday night.

The office force, consisting of Robert Clark, recording clerk, and E. W. Lindsay, stenographer, were not changed yesterday and will probably be retained until the first of next week. Clark may stay until the new clerks learn the routine of the office. It was stated yesterday that W. C. Gearing's chances of getting Clark's place are not so bright, as Clark is alleged to have a friend in E. M. Bigelow, for whom Clark is alleged to have carried a district in a councilmanic fight in the Seventeenth ward, several years ago, the latter Bigelow candidate won only in Clark's district.

WEIGH YOURSELF BEFORE USING.

Weigh yourself before commencing to use Mi-o-na, the great flesh-forming food. The wonderful sale of this preparation since first introduced in Pittsburgh and the remarkable results following its use, have made Schilling Bros. Co., Franklin and Penn avenues, such enthusiastic believers in the great value of Mi-o-na, that they give their personal guarantee to refund the money if Mi-o-na does not put flesh on the fat, cure indigestion and restore health.

This is a strong guarantee, but Druggists Schilling Bros. Co. have seen so many of their customers who a few weeks ago looked like walking skeletons, become plump and well, solely through the use of Mi-o-na that they feel they cannot say too much to induce people to try it.

This marvelous flesh-forming food is assimilated as soon as it is taken into the stomach, makes good, rich blood, tones up the weakened digestive organs, helps the food to digest, and makes permanent cures in the worst cases of indigestion.

WANTED.

Male Help.

A FEW neat-appearing men to do special work for newspaper; $25 a week to right party. 10-12, Room 508, Chronicle Telegraph.

BLACKSMITH—A good steady blacksmith, one thoroughly accustomed to making tongs for crucible furnaces and rolling mill; also able to forge and hammer shear blades. Apply Vesuvius Steel Company, Washington, Pa.

BLACKSMITH—One to work on small forgings under steam hammer. Apply at once, Pittsburgh Shear Knife and Machine Co., 47th st., city.

BOYS—Bright boys with excellent references who can drive. George E. Bell, circulation department, The Gazette.

BOY—Experienced board boy to mark up New York stock quotations. W. J. Black, 408 Tradesmens building.

CARPENTERS—Rough carpenters; wages 20 cents per hour. Apply 1123 Westinghouse bldg.

CHECKERS and detailers for structural work; good salaries and permanent positions to satisfactory parties; location middle west; state experience and salary expected. Address immediately S 37, The Gazette.

CLERK—A first-class shipping clerk for tobacco house. Address W 39, The Gazette.

DELIVERY MEN and light covered wagons and horses. Apply 7:30 to 9 p. m., Mr. Bell, Circulation department, The Gazette.

DRIVER—For single wagon; room furnished near stable; best references required. Munhall Lumber Co., 41 South Twenty-second st.

FIVE intelligent, energetic representatives; must have good address. The Gazette, room 303, Chronicle Telegraph building.

GALVANIZER wanted; first-class man who thoroughly understands bolts, nuts, cross arm braces, etc. Address F 39, The Gazette.

MAN—Young, who understands clock repairing. Apply Mr. Bell, Circulation Dept., The Gazette.

MARINE Corps, U. S. Navy—Recruits wanted; able-bodied men; service on our warships in all parts of the world and on land in the United States and colonial possessions when required. Apply Recruiting office, rooms 414-416 City Postoffice Building.

MEN—Three young men as soliciting salesmen, to travel with manager; expenses advanced. F. N. Challen, Hotel Bover.

MOLDERS—At once, ten bench and two floor molders. Keystone Foundry Co., Uniontown, Pa.

PAINTERS—Two good steady painters. Apply today between 8 and 10 at 7404 Idlewild st., Belmar place.

SALESMAN—Experienced wall paper salesman, permanent position. Geo. E. Lorch & Bro., Seventeenth and Carson sts.

SAWYERS—Crosscut and rip sawyers. Apply W. H. Hamilton Co. works, Clairton, Pa.

STOUT boy about 16. Apply 805 Liberty st.

SINGLE white man experienced in care of horses. 607 Liberty st.

SOLICITORS—Two experienced solicitors. Apply The Gazette office, between 6 and 7 o'clock.

SUPERINTENDENT—First-class mine superintendent. He must be thoroughly familiar with electrical machinery and in every way competent to superintend the development of mine property in soft coal field. Address 249 Meyran ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

TRIMMER—A first-class window trimmer and furnishing goods man for clothing and gents' furnishing store. Apply 6119 Penn ave.

VERIFIER, delivery men and collectors; must furnish bond. Apply 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m., Mr. Bell, Circulation department, The Gazette.

Wanted as newspaper canvassers; must be hustlers.

Best wages to sober well dressed man. Apply between 8 and 4 p. m. Geo. E. Bell, Circulation Department, The Gazette.

YOUNG MEN—Four energetic, bright young men, having light delivery wagons; good work, good pay. Call between 9 and 12 o'clock, Tuesday, "Our Islands" Dept., Gazette, or address R 305, Chronicle Telegraph.

YOUNG men everywhere, copy letters, home evenings, $3.50 week. Send addressed envelope for particulars. Manager, Dept. W 90, Box 1411, Philadelphia, Pa.

Female Help.

COOK for small hotel, $12; chambermaid and waitress, wages $5. Mrs. Kennington, 18 Ninth st.

COOK—First-class position for right party. Apply 648 Maryland avenue, East End.

FIRST-CLASS waist, sleeve and skirt makers. Craiglheimer, 631 Penn ave.

GIRL—For general housework; good position for right party. Apply 1215 Locust street, Allegheny.

HOUSEWORK girl, family two, $5, no washing. Mrs. Kennington, 18 Ninth st.

IRONERS—Shirt and collar ironers. Imperial Laundry, Vine st., near Fifth.

LADIES everywhere, copy letters home evenings, return to us, new plan, send addressed envelope full particulars. Guarantee Co., Dept W 80, Philadelphia, Pa.

LADY SOLICITORS—Good-paying business. Address T 22, The Gazette.

MARKERS—Experienced markers. Apply at Brace Bros., West Wilkinsburg.

WOMEN to sew at home; $8 per week. Materials sent everywhere free, steady work, plain sewing only. Send addressed envelope for full particulars. Du Pont, Dept. W 80, Ninth st., Philadelphia, Pa.

YOUNG women everywhere, copy letters, home evenings, $9.50 week. Send addressed envelope for particulars. Manager Dept. W 90, Box 1411, Philadelphia, Pa.

Male and Female help.

MAN AND WIFE to do general gardening and housework for small family of two. State wages and address giving references. P. O. Box 63, Brownsville, Fayette county, Pa.

Situations—Male.

CHEMIST—With business experience, proficient in English, French and German, is open for engagement. Address H 22, The Gazette.

SITUATION wanted by young man who has had experience as machinist draughtsman. Apply No. 346 Main st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Situations—Female.

SITUATION by a German couple, man general work; wife housework or cook; city or country. 18 Ninth st., Pittsburgh.

Machinery.

GAS ENGINE WANTED.
WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND GAS ENGINE, 55, 85 OR 100 H. P., WITH GENERATOR.
STATE LOWEST CASH PRICE.
ADDRESS ENGINEER, O 27, THE GAZETTE.

Real Estate.

WANTED—To purchase lot with small house on south side of Henry, Fillmore or any other cross street in same locality between Bellefield and Neville. Address S 39, The Gazette.

WANTED—Farm, 40 to 75 acres, with fair improvements, on Erie R. R. preferred; give terms and particulars. W. Thompson, 19 Mayflower st., E. E., city.

Partner.

I WILL assign one-half interest in a valuable patent to a responsible party who will assist me to manufacture the same. Call or address, Bernhart, 5146 Carnegie st.

PARTNER—Lady investing $500 can clear $2,000 per year; investigate. Address S 22, The Gazette.

Pupils.

PUPILS.
THE MARTIN SHORTHAND AND COMMERCIAL SCHOOL, Liberty ave. and Fifth st. Day and evening sessions throughout the year. Instruction the most thorough obtainable. Those interested invited to inspect methods and equipment. Call or send for catalogue.

Business Opportunities.

WANTED—We have buyers for restaurant, hotel, drug, shoe, confectionery, drygoods and grocery stores; list your stores with us if you want them sold promptly.
BLACK & BAIRD,
419 Fourth ave., Opposite Postoffice.

Boarders.

WANTED—Table boarders at $4.20 per week. 6112 Hoeveler st., East End.

CHURCH AVENUE, 228, Allegheny—Boarding by week or day. Rates $5 per week.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To hire by the week light covered delivery wagons and horses.
MR. BELL,
Circulation Dept., Pittsburgh Gazette

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

TO LET—In Braddock, good four-room house, 1008 Maple ave.; $18.00 per month.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE AND TRUST CO.,
327-329 Fourth Ave.

FOR RENT—Forest ave., Avalon, new brick dwelling, 8 rooms, bath, pantry, hot and cold water, gas, etc.; front porch; rent $35 per month.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st.,
Allegheny, Pa.

FOR RENT—A four room house, near car line. Swissvale, $12.50. J. Hartley, 36 Forty-eighth st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

East End Residences.

FOR RENT.
Center, near Euclid ave., flat, 3 rooms, bath, range, gases; $25.
Princeton place, near Station st., 4 rooms, bath, range, gases; steam heat and hot water free; $45.
S. St. Clair st., flat, 6 rooms, bath, range, gases, hardwood floors; steam heat and hot water free; $45.
Winebiddle ave., flat, 7 rooms, bath, range, gases, heat, janitor service free; $55.
S. H. LLOYD, 6022 Penn ave., E. E., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR RENT.
1415 Sheffield st., good brick house, 6 rooms, attic, bath, laundry, cement cellar, gas and water; gas range, porch.
Rent $35. Immediate possession.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st.,
Allegheny, Pa.

Furnished Houses.

TO LET.
HOUSES, unfurnished and furnished, apartments and offices. Send card for list.
S. H. LLOYD,
No. 6022 Penn ave., E. E., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Storeroom.

FOR RENT.
Store room, dwelling rooms and cellar, cor. Beaver avenue and Sheffield st.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st.,
Allegheny, Pa.

Desk Room.

DESK ROOM in large, well-lighted office; both 'phones; desk furnished free; $8 per month. Office Renting Company, 711 Penn ave.

Business Opportunities.

FOR RENT—A dwelling and meat market and a valuable wagon route in Brackenridge, Pa. Inquire of W. R. Vogeley, Fifth ave., Brackenridge, Pa.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

For Rent.

ROOMS—Girls coming to the city can find pleasant rooms with modern conveniences at $3.25 per week. Christian Home for Working Girls, 424-426 Duquesne way.

WANTED—Two couples for two furnished rooms; strictly private family; use of bath room with boarding; $50 per month. 110 California ave., Avalon.

COLWELL and Shetler, Strip Plate Mills—Albert's Flats No. 12, one room; 5 minutes' walk from postoffice; all conveniences.

FURNISHED Rooms with bath; nicely located; gentlemen preferred. 1110 Franklin street, Allegheny.

ARCH STREET, 1214, Allegheny—Two furnished rooms; light housekeeping and single furnished room.

SECOND Story front room; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred. 2015 Chartiers street, Allegheny.

TWO connected unfurnished rooms; second floor; all conveniences. 267 California avenue, Allegheny.

FOR RENT—Large furnished front room, with private family. 1304 Buena Vista st., Allegheny.

TWO nicely furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. 1306 Allegheny avenue, Allegheny.

FOR RENT—Large furnished front room, facing East Park. 709 Union ave., Allegheny.

ARCH ST., 217—Large furnished room, closets, bath; suitable for two or four gentlemen.

SMITHFIELD ST., 540—Nice large furnished front room; suitable for two gentlemen.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, and board if required. 612½ Hoeveler st., East End.

FURNISHED Room with board, and roommate for gentleman. 41 Fourth street.

HIGHLAND AVENUE, 213 South—Nicely furnished rooms with all conveniences.

MONTGOMERY AVE., 119—Large furnished room, bath, facing park.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms; also suite of rooms. 718 Penn ave.

FOR RENT—Second story front room. 18 West Stockton ave., Allegheny.

FURNISHED rooms, light housekeeping. 1204 Arch street, Allegheny.

FRONT Room, all modern conveniences. 5171 Penn avenue.

FURNISHED Rooms, 242 Emerson street, near Alder, E. E.

HAY ST., 508, Wilkinsburg—Second story front room.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

Wanted.

WANTED—Large room, unfurnished, near incline, Penn ave.; state terms. Address W 32, The Gazette.

THREE unfurnished rooms with use of bath; near railroad station at Idlewood, Crafton or Ingram. Address V 23, Gazette.

WANTED—Unfurnished rooms.
ROOM RENTAL AGENCY, 442 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

BELLEVUE. BELLEVUE.
DELIGHTFUL SUBURBAN HOMES.

$3,650—6 rooms. Lot 50x85; near paved st.; mortgage $1,200. Balance cash.

$3,200—6 rooms and bath; modern. Lot 25x140. Can get adjoining 25 ft.

$3,500—7 rooms and attic. Lot 85x105. Mortgage $2,000, balance in cash, or will trade for vacant property.

$3,700—7 rooms, cottage. Lot 33x200 to an alley, 8 ft. wide on alley; within one block of Lincoln ave.

$4,500—8 rooms and attic. Street now being paved. Lot 40x100. Mortgage for $2,500. Modern construction.

$4,600—7 rooms and attic; paved street. Lot 40x127; 5 per cent mortgage $2,800. Balance cash or terms to suit.

$5,500—8 rooms and 3 in attic. Lot 40x120. Part cash, balance in mortgage.

$5,500—7 rooms, bath, large attic. Lot 80x180. Street paved; within one block of car line. Fine district.

$5,800—Big bargain; 10 rooms and bath. Completely modern. Corner of paved street. Mortgage $3,500

$6,700—8 rooms and attic; bath, laundry and all modern improvements; street now being paved. Lot 50x150 to alley. Will accept mortgage.

$7,000—27 Sprague ave., elegant residence district. Lot 40x122.

ELEGANT BUILDING SITES
In Every Part of Borough at Prices From $400 TO $20,000.

BELLEVUE REALTY,
SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY,
440 Lincoln Avenue.

For Sale, Bellevue

NEAR NEW BOULEVARD.

Two Colonial houses, all modern improvements; paved streets. Also 28 large building lots. Address

F. H. & W. A. BOLE,
Box 1587 Pittsburgh, or Grant ave., Bellevue.

AT a sacrifice price if sold in a few days; small cash payment required, balance very easy terms; nice cozy home in Hill district; only 12 minutes' ride from postoffice; 2-story brick dwelling, tin roof, 6 rooms, hall, vestibule, bath, hot and cold water, natural and artificial gas, slate and hardwood mantels, tile hearths, gas range, cemented cellar, porch, combination chandeliers, gas fixtures, street sewered and paved with block; lot 20x100.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

WE have a new five-room: a six and a seven-room dwelling in a fine well settled location, within 15 minutes' car ride of the business center of Pittsburgh, which can be had on monthly payments like rent; moderate payment down; price, $2,000 to $8,000; rent payers are invited to call. Inspection. Call at 402 Fourth ave., between 9 and 4, or write for particulars. H. E. Jones.

FOR SALE—
AVALON—$4,300—A LOVELY HOME. If you want a large lot, with shade, an abundance of fruit and nuts, and a house that contains 7 rooms and bath, with outbuildings; only two minutes to station.
J. A. GIBSON & CO., 401 Federal st., Or 704 Lawrence ave., Avalon.

POINT BREEZE
$5,500—Three-story brick, slate roof, 8 rooms, bath, reception hall effect, hot and cold water, both gases, electric, laundry and inst. water heater; fine large front porch.
GAULT & GIFFEN,
316 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE AT OAKMONT.
8 rooms, reception hall, brick, all conveniences; corner lot 60x120. Two blocks from Oakmont station. Good location.
JAS. MARSHALL,
1506 Arrott Bldg.

$1,600—SHERADEN—NEW HOUSE, 5 rooms; payments like rent, or rent—$16.
$1,200—NEAR WALKERS MILLS—HOUSE 4 rooms; 7 acres; these are bargains.
IRON CITY REALTY CO., 374 4TH AVE.

AN INVESTMENT—$8,500 will buy a brick, stone front dwelling, 13 rooms, newly papered, good condition; rent $85.00 per month.
S. A. GIBSON & CO., 401 Grant st.

FOR SALE—Near station, Wilkinsburg, modern brick home, 9 rooms; cheap to quick buyer. Address L 38, The Gazette.

AVALON—New dwelling, 8 rooms; all conveniences. J. C. Reed, 211 Wood st., Pittsburgh.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.

A two-story brick house of 6 rooms and attic in first-class condition; modern improvements; on nice street; good neighborhood; near park, Allegheny. Inquire of
JAMES W. GILMORE,
1308 Arrott Bldg.

FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE.
A fine 7-room house, Fayette st., Fifth ward, Allegheny; house contains 10 rooms, center hall, porches; lot 40x124 feet.
House built back from street.
Call and see about this. Will give you a bargain.
Immediate possession
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st.,
Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Good frame house, six rooms, cellar and attic, on Fairpatrick ave., Second ward, Allegheny; clean neighborhood; convenient to cars, and will make a nice, comfortable home; price $3,500; particulars on application; address James H. Logan, room 305, 207 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh.

TENTH WARD, Allegheny, on a paved street, frame house, 7 rooms, bath, gas, hot and cold water; lot 35x122; price $2,600; $500 down, balance same as rent.
GAULT & GIFFEN,
316 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR SALE—Very desirable Allegheny residence, with large lot and building, situated corner of Western and Fulton sts., Allegheny; price will be made an inducement in order to secure an early sale owing to the owner's removal from the city.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE AND TRUST CO.,
327-329 Fourth ave.

East End Residences.

$6,500—Buys an income property of $50 per month with a vacant lot in the Third ward; a 6 roomed brick and 12 roomed frame.

$8,000—For a 14 room brick renting for $55; lot 122x165 feet; room to build. Don't wait, this can't be had every day.
LEVY & SPARKS,
Rooms 411-412. 320 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—$6,500.
Wilkins ave., near Wightman st., brick reception hall residence of 9 rooms, bath, etc.; a bargain. Lot 50x120.
LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
6128 Penn Ave., E. E.

BAUM GROVE.
$11,000—Three-story solid brick reception hall residence, 10 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, both gases and electric light, good water heater and laundry; everything in first-class condition and modern in every respect; lot 45x150 to 20-ft. alley.
GAULT & GIFFEN,
316 Fourth ave.

A DECIDED BARGAIN.
Bond Street, N. Highland Avenue District. Frame house, 6 rooms, bath, range, gases; lot 30x200 feet; $4,050.
S. H. LLOYD,
No. 6022 Penn ave., E. E., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Real Estate—Special.

LAKE CHAUTAUQUA.
For Sale—Mayville, overlooking Lake Chautauqua—Fine farm of 60 acres, in town limits; good new house; modern and complete in every detail; elegant view for miles over the lake; will be sold for less than cost.
UNION REALTY CO.,
Westinghouse Building.

YOU KNOW RUSH
IS DU BOSE MAN to see when you want to buy or sell real estate or borrow money. Over 21 years in business in this city.
JOHN N. RUSH,
St. Nicholas Building, 450 Fourth ave.

Lots.

FOR SALE—Lots, on one of the finest streets on Squirrel Hill; nothing less than 50-foot lots; owner will pay expense of paving and sewering, and sell these lots at $100 a foot front.
UNION REALTY COMPANY,
Westinghouse Building.

FOR SALE CHEAP—LOTS.
On May st., near Marshall ave.,
5 lots 20x100 feet,
2 lots 16x100 feet,
Price $1,200; will close soon.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st.,
Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Three lots, 25x60; finest location, Thirty-seventh ward, city; 30 minutes' ride, Baltimore and Ohio and Frankstown ave. cars pass property; will sell one or all; owner needs ready money; easy payments if desired. Apply at
A. L. RAWLINS CO.,
1313 Farmers National Bank.

FOR SALE
QUAKER VALLEY STATION, SEWICKLEY. CHOICE 40, 50 and 60 FOOT LOTS AT $24 TO $40 PER FOOT. THIS IS THE CHEAPEST DESIRABLE FRONTAGE IN THE SEWICKLEY VALLEY.
GEORGE BROS.
NO. 248 FOURTH AVE.

LOTS.
Two lots 50x150 each, in a county seat town of 10,000 people, coaling 5,000. What are you to offer for it? Don't be bashful, make a proposition.
LEVY & SPARKS,
Rooms 411-412. 320 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, lots on Juneay st., between Delaware and Hampton sts., close to proposed Morningside street railway. See owner, W. T. Lillegren, 747 Hill ave., Wilkinsburg.

FOR SALE—Bargain, lot 14th ward, near Robinson st., $17 per foot. See owner, 623 Collins ave., city.

Farms.

GARDEN FARM FOR SALE.
About 14 acres in the highest state of cultivation, one mile from Allegheny, on the Mount Troy plank road, including:
10,000 Rhubarb stocks.
2,000 Gooseberries.
150 Apple trees.
20 Peach trees.
200 Grape stocks.
¼ Acre strawberries.
8 Roomed house.
Summer house.
Barn 30x32, slate roof.
Never failing supply of water.
Inquire at 325 Second ave., Pittsburgh, or of LORENZO WOELFEL, Jr., on the premises any afternoon. Take Mount Troy car, Sixth and Liberty ste.

125 ACRES—CLEAR.
For Sale—Only 15 minutes from Glenfield station, on the P., Ft. W. & C. R. R., 16 miles from city; nothing finer on the Fort Wayne road; buildings all in fine condition; adjoining property sold at $1,000 an acre; all we ask is just one-half of a thousand an acre; will consider exchange for rented city property.
UNION REALTY COMPANY,
Westinghouse Building.

TEN acres good land, near schools, churches, stores, factories, stations on two railroads and near Atlantic City; splendid for poultry, fruit, truck or farming; price only $150, payable $5.50 monthly; get free illustrated booklet No. O 320. WALTER BECKER, 444 Fourth ave.

FARM bargains, easy term; send for new list. J. C. DIGHT & CO., 420 Farmers Bank bldg.

Business Properties.

A GOOD SNAP ON A QUICK TURN.
FIFTH AVE. NEAR FORTY-FIRST.
Not far from court house, 3-story brick, lot 21x100; rents well $8,000. Mortgage.
SPECIAL PRICE $600 PER FOOT.
See EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.
ARONSON REALTY CO.,
REAL ESTATE AND INVESTMENTS.
Aronson Building. 646 Fifth ave.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Good lots, near Brushton, for improved real estate. Equity $2,800. H. L. Benner, 420 Farmers Bank bldg.

Business Opportunities.

DRYGOODS STORE.
Located in suburbs of Pittsburgh; sales $35,000 per annum; store 20x75 feet, two stories; rent $75.00 per month; will sell at invoice; stock valued at about $20,000. Also
Department Store—Stocks consists of gents' furnishings, ladies' millinery and clothing, and notions, located 25 miles from Pittsburgh in large manufacturing city; sales average $5,000 a month; rent $1,200 per year; stocks and fixtures worth $9,000; will sell for $6,000 to quick buyer. Also
Drygoods Store—In thriving city of 12,000 population; sales $25,000 per year; rent $1,440 per year; about $13,000 worth of this store will be sold for $10,000. Will take part cash, balance good security. See
BLACK & BAIRD,
419 Fourth ave., Opposite Postoffice.

GROCERY.
Located in Allegheny; store with 4 living rooms and stable for 3 horses; rent for all only $28.00 per month; owner is compelled to sell on account of sickness. Stock valued about $1,000 at invoice; a rare opportunity for some active man; also grocery in East End, doing a business of $200 per week, rent $25.00; will sell stock and fixtures for $1,100. See
BLACK & BAIRD,
419 Fourth ave., Opposite Postoffice.

RACKET STORE.
Located in one of the best towns in Eastern Ohio; stock consisting of novelties, notions, tinware, granite ware, glassware, tobacco and cigars, will invoice $1,200; rent for store room and 6 living rooms only $17.50 per mo.; owner has an opportunity to go into a larger business and will sell for $1,200.
B. R. FAULKNER & CO., INCD.,
428 Fourth ave., third door above P. O.

MANUFACTURING.
A PITTSBURGH knee pants factory, enjoying fine trade is willing to sell out at invoice on account of old age, cash required $2,000. This is a snap for somebody; the concern is well known throughout Western Pennsylvania. See
LEVY & SPARKS,
Rooms 411-12. 320 Fourth ave.

CLOTHING AND SHOE STORE.

In the city, the best business stand on a good business street, party has two stores and will part with one; cannot attend to both; $2,800 cash required or 60c on the dollar.
LEVY & SPARKS,
Rooms 411-12. 320 Fourth ave.

$600 CONFECTIONERY STORE, doing a splendid business and in a good location. Also
Grocery store in best residence section of Allegheny; sales $300 per week; can be bought very cheap.
BLACK & BAIRD,
419 Fourth ave., Opposite Postoffice.

INVESTORS—At 3 cents per share, promotion price. We offer for short time only a golden opportunity to subscribe for shares in mining property located in rich district. $60 buys 1,000 shares; $5 per month for six months buys 1,000 shares. For full particulars address M. Bender Bros., Canton, O.

FOR SALE.

Business Opportunities.

$1,200 cash will buy a first-class grocery business; clears $40 a week; owner retires; reason for selling,

SUDDEN CHANGES IN SENTIMENT

Eastern Stock Market Weak and Strong by Turns, Closing Demoralized—Sharp Attack Upon Pennsylvania Affiliated Stocks.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The course of events in Wall street yesterday increased the mystery surrounding the market. It likewise tended to confirm the public in the attitude it has assumed of waiting until the outlook is clearer, and it was extremely trying upon those commission houses who have been advising the purchase of investment stocks. The opening was decidedly weak, particularly for the southern group of stocks and Baltimore & Ohio. The former were probably affected by the reports as to the condition of the cotton crop, and the extreme buoyancy of the market for the staple, which again scored a new high price on this movement. The weakness in Baltimore & Ohio was ascribed to selling for foreign account, especially for Berlin, where the monetary situation is anything but satisfactory. In most instances initial prices were small fractions to 1 per cent below the closing bids of the day before. London sold to the extent of 50,000 shares, but after this liquidation was over the tone of the market began to improve. This improvement was uninterrupted until about the middle of the afternoon, when all the early losses had been recovered and in some cases substantial advances had taken place. Then a period of hesitation occurred, which was broken by a fierce attack upon Baltimore & Ohio stock and the Eries. The pressure then extended to other stocks affiliated with the Pennsylvania railroad, such as Chesapeake & Ohio and Norfolk & Western. The latter has held better than almost another railroad stock on the list, its loss from the high point of last February amounting to only about 6 per cent, until this week. Yesterday it dropped from 44¾ to 40½, and closed at the bottom. Baltimore & Ohio broke from 84½ to 81⅜ and closed at the lowest, representing a loss of $2.3 a share from the highest price quoted last January and $37 a share from the record price of last September. The Eries and the Readings were also decidedly weak and the dealings were on a large scale. The impression prevailed in Wall street that the interests arrayed against the Pennsylvania, or supposed to be arrayed against it, were attacking the stocks in which the Pennsylvania had acquired an interest and votes in their control. Pennsylvania stock had advanced to 125, but it sympathized with the general weakness and sold off to 123¾, closing at the lowest. Traders who had bought earlier in the day turned sellers of the general list, and the result was that everything declined. Atchison broke from 68¾ to 65½, the lowest on this movement. Union Pacific broke from 81 to 78¾. Louisville & Nashville and Southern Railway sold below the previous low prices of the year.

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The industrials, which had been holding comparatively firm, shared in the fluctuations of the general list. Amalgamated Copper was weak on the sharp decline reported in the metal in the London market, subsequently rallied when the railroad list became strong, and finally broke to 59, closing at the lowest, although cables reported a recovery in the foreign market. United States Steel common was quoted ex-dividend of 1 per cent, and during the greater part of the session held steady around 39¾ and 39½, but in the late decline it broke to 29¾ and closed at 29⅝, bid, the lowest price since last December, when the money stringency was most acute. The preferred stock declined to 79¾, which is also the lowest price since last December. Consolidated Gas broke 2 per cent, Peoples Gas declined to 96 and General Electric was 2 per cent lower. These prices were all made in the closing ten minutes of the session. The market finally closed more nearly demoralized than at any previous time since the liquidation began. The sales reached 880,000 shares, the bulk of the business being transacted during the first and last hours of the day.

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There was nothing in the news of the day to account for this fresh outburst of liquidation, except possibly the weather bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions. As stated, the cotton market was strong and higher, but the cotton report has been published, and there is no reason to believe that there has been any important deterioration since the compilation of the government figures. The department of agriculture will make its monthly report on grain this afternoon, but the previous decline in the grangers was thought to have discounted the damage caused by the floods. There was nothing in the industrial situation and little change in monetary conditions. Call money ruled at 3 to 4 per cent during a part of the day, but when stocks were their weakest the rate declined to 2 per cent. The sub-treasury was again a creditor at the clearing house, and so far this week has gained $1,160,000 from the banks. The heaviest selling of stocks, particularly the Erie, Reading, Atchison and Union Pacific, was by the old western cliques—whether long or short remains to be seen—and it had the effect of wiping out margins and forcing liquidation. There is certain to be one effect of such sudden changes in sentiment as were witnessed yesterday, and that is to make the trading more and more professional and keep the public out of the market.

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On the Pittsburgh board yesterday the volume of trading fell off to one-half the total for the day previous and prices closed generally lower. Crucible Steel was the most active stock and during the early part of the session developed considerable strength, advancing to 15⅝. Later when New York became weak the stock declined, but it subsequently recovered to 14⅞, the closing transaction. The preferred remained unchanged at 80½ and 80¾. United States Steel was quite dull, the common selling at 30 and 30¼ ex-dividend, and the preferred at 80¼ and 80½, closing at 80⅛ bid. Transactions in Westinghouse Electric reached only 325 shares at 89½ and 90¾, the stock closing at 90⅛ asked. It was semi-officially reported from the New York office of the company that all the new stock offered for subscription had been taken by stockholders. Manufacturers Light and Heat was moderately active, and after declining to 38, recovered to 39, closing at 38½ bid. Philadelphia Company was lower at 40½, but rallied to 41 bid at the close. Pittsburgh Coal common declined to 27¾ and the preferred to 85¾, while River Coal remained unchanged at 10½ for the common and 40 for the preferred. National Fire Proofing was weak and lower, declining to 24, recovering to 24¼. The preferred declined to 35 and closed offered at 34½.

Trading in the banks and trusts was not large, but was well distributed. Real Estate Trust rallied to 200, Commonwealth to 236, and German American Savings and Trust advanced to 170. Merchants Savings and Trust was also firmer, advancing to 65½. Equitable Trust declined to 181, Federal National to 168, and the rest of the list was nominally unchanged.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 5,914⅛ shares, stock, ⅛ rights and $2,000 bonds. Sales:

10 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

200	Crucible, com.	14⅞	2	M. L. & H.	38½
100	do	14⅞	65	do	38⅝
50	do	14⅞	2	Ice	35
50	do	14⅞	25	Brewing, com.	31
20	do	14⅞	20	P. Pl. Glass	135
10	do	14⅞	50	A. V. pfd.	27½
5	do	14⅞	50	do	27¾
20	Fire P., com.	24⅜	10	G. A. S. & T.	170
5	do	24⅜	10	Phila. com.	40½
5	Second N. B.	330	100	do	40⅝
50	Crucible, pfd.	80¼	105	P. Coal, com.	10½
8	do	80½	20	do	10⅝
10	Electric, 2ds	89¾	5	N. Amer. Ss	151
18½	Third N. B.	180	10	do	151
50	M. L. & H.	38	15	do	151
20	do	38	10	Pr. Coal, pfd.	40
30	do	38	10	do	40
30	do	38	50	Fire P., pfd.	35½
100	do	38¾	50	do	35
20	do	38¾	5	do	35
65	do	38⅝	35	do	35
10	do	38½	10	do	35

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

40	Brewing, pfd.	46	20	P. Pl. Glass	135
50	Iron City, Tr.	155	25	Federal N. B.	168
10	U. S. Ss, pfd.	80½	6	P. Coal, pfd.	85¾
40	Fire, Coal, pfd.	80	40	do	85¾
40	Brewing, com.	31¾	35	Ger. Fire, Tus.	70
5	S. D. & T., rts.	125	50	P. Coal, com.	27½
100	Electric, 2ds	90	30	do	27½
25	do	90	25	P. E. Trust	200
15	do	90	20	Crucible, pfd.	80½
10	do	90	100	do	80½
50	do	90⅛	14	do	80½
20	do	90⅛	50	Fire P., pfd.	35¼
100	M. L. & H.	38¾	50	Fire P., com.	24¾
20	do	38¾	100	Crucible, com.	14¾
45	do	38⅛	5	do	14¾
15	do	38⅛	100	do	15
10	do	38⅛	10	C. P. E. & T.	238
25	P. Pl. Glass	135			

12:30 P. M. to 2 P. M.

10	Fire P., com.	24¼	10	R. E. Trust	287
50	do	24	10	do	287
90	do	24	10	do	200
50	do	24	40	Fire P., pfd.	35
50	do	24	40	Brewing, com.	31
50	do	24	10	Crucible, pfd.	80½
100	do	24⅜	50	do	80½
5	Electric, 2ds	90½	90	do	80½
560	do	90½	50	do	80½
5	M. L. & H.	39	10	Second N. B.	330

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

50	Iron C. T.	155	10	U. S. Ss, pfd.	80½
250	R. Coal, com.	10½	50	do	80½
5	R. E. Trust	200	25	do	80¼
15	Electric, 2ds	90½	50	do	80¼
40	Crue. com.	15⅜	50	Third N. B.	180
20	do	15⅝	20	Crue. pfd.	80½
25	do	15⅜	50	do	80⅜
100	do	15¼	50	do	80⅜
100	do	15	*50	do	80⅜
100	do	15	50	Mar. S. & T.	43½
50	do	15	50	Mer. S. & T.	43½
100	do	15	200	Fire P., com.	24¼
50	do	15	50	Fire P., pfd.	35
50	do	14⅞	75	M. L. & H.	39¼
10	Equit. Tr.	181	20	do	39
20	do	181	50	do	39
$2000	R. Coal 6s	113¼	20	Colonial Tr.	230
50	U. S. S. pfd.	80½	10	do	230
40	do	80½			

*Ex-dividend.

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge
100	A. Val. pfd.	28	27½	28	—1
105	Brewing, com.	31¼	31	31	0
40	Do pfd.	46	46	46	0
1425	Crue. Steel	15⅝	14¾	14⅞	+⅛
462	Do pfd.	80⅜	80½	80⅜	0
155	Fire Proofing	24⅛	24	24⅛	—⅜
75	Do pfd.	34½	34½	34½	—½
914	M. L. & H.	39¼	38	39	+⅞
110	Phila. com.	40⅝	40½	40⅝	+⅛
180	Pgh. Coal	27½	27¼	27¼	—¼
10	Do pfd.	85¾	85¾	85¾	+¼
75	P. Pl. Glass	135	135	135	—1
460	River Coal	10½	10½	10½	0
60	Do pfd.	40	40	40	0
150	*U. S. Steel	30¼	29⅝	29⅝	—⅝
255	Do pfd.	80½	80⅛	80⅛	—⅜
325	W. Elec. 2d	90⅝	89½	90⅜	+⅜
15	Colon. Trust	600	600	600	0
30	C. P. E. & T.	238	238	238	—2
20	Equit. Trust	181	181	181	—2
25	Federal N. B.	168	168	168	—2
10	G. A. S. & T.	170	170	170	+3½
25	Ger. Fire Ins.	75	75	75	—5
100	Iron City Trust	155	155	155	0
50	Mer. S. & T.	69½	69½	69½	+1½
30	N. Am. Sav.	151	151	151	+1
60	R. E. Trust	200	285	200	+3
15	Second N. B.	330	330	330	0
48½	Third N. B.	180	180	180	0

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BONDS.

$2,000	River Coal 6s	113¼	113⅛	113⅛	0

RIGHTS.

⅝	Safe D. & T.	125	125	125	+5

*Ex-dividend 1 per cent.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Allegheny National	50	.....	155
Diamond National	100	.....	475
Duquesne National	100	200	250
Farmers' Deposit National	100	.....	320
Federal National	100	165	168
German National	100	250	.....
Monongahela National	100	200	202
Second National	100	140	150
Third National	100	180	183
Trust Companies.			
American Trust	100	.....	320
Peoples Trust	100	181	.....
Guarantee Title & Trust	100	.....	210
Real Estate Trust	100	287	289
Rockliffe	100	155	.....
Commonwealth Trust	100	207	.....
Allegheny City Trusts.			
Allegheny Trust Co.	100	150	180
Dollar Sav. Fund & Trust	100	270	280
Insurance.			
Arctic	50	.....	62
Germania	50	.....	80
Natural Gas.			
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	28½	29
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	41	42½
Mining.			
Luster	10	10	.....
Railroads.			
Allegheny Valley pfd.	50	26	.....
Electric Light.			
Westinghouse 2d pfd.	50	.....	90½
Miscellaneous.			
Crucible Steel Co.	100	14⅞	14⅞
Do preferred	100	79¾	80
Marsden	100	.....	2
National Fire Proofing	50	.....	24⅞
Do preferred	50	.....	34½
Pittsburgh Brass	100	41	.....
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	.....	180½
Hazlehurst-Wilkes Co. pfd.	100	.....	70

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
American Window Glass pfd.	100	.....	84
Consolidated Gas pfd.	50	14	.....
Monongahela River Coal	50	10½	10¾
Do preferred	50	40	40
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	31	31¼
Do preferred	100	45¾	46¼
Pittsburgh Coal	100	27½	27⅝
Do preferred	100	.....	86
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	.....	123½
Pittsburgh Stove & Range pfd.	100	16½	18
United States Steel	100	30	.....
Do preferred	100	80½	.....

BONDS.

		Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous			
Monongahela River Coal 6s	1949	113	.....

IS PENNSY. BEING ATTACKED?

There was circumstantial evidence yesterday that the Pennsylvania railroad was being attacked through some of its affiliated stocks. Four of the latter declined to the lowest prices of the year and three of them to the lowest prices for two years. The Pennsylvania owns, in round numbers, $12,500,000 Baltimore & Ohio, $10,000,000 Chesapeake & Ohio, and $25,000,000 Norfolk & Western. Last year, in connection with New York Central, it negotiated joint control of Reading, $50,000,000 of the stock of the latter being vested in Baltimore & Ohio and Lake Shore as the representatives of the respective owners. It has been understood that the large loan negotiated by Lake Shore about six months ago was for the purpose of financing its part of this Reading deal. All these stocks were the heaviest of the list of the market yesterday, and all made low record prices for the year. It may be recalled that it was in 1900 that Baltimore & Ohio advanced to 126 and Reading to 58, the latter being quoted for the following year abroad its investment in that stock. The price is now 8 points below that of three years ago. Reading yesterday declined to 43⅞, or 38 per cent below the high price reached last year when the strike was in progress. Chesapeake & Ohio yesterday declined to 67½, and Norfolk & Western to 40⅝. Erie made a new low mark at 20⅜. For weeks the latter was noticeably firm in the face of the general weakness, and there were various reports as to where the stock would eventually land, there being rumors of at least two western systems purchasing for control. That these rumors originated in Wall street among the big financiers. Whether this view of the situation is correct or not, it is the one that is gradually taking possession of the public mind, and so long as this impression prevails, the public will remain out of the market.

RETIRING STEEL COMMON.

United States Steel common was quoted ex-dividend of 1 per cent yesterday, and the price of the stock declined to 29⅝. There have been rumors within the past few days that the corporation was buying this common stock with the view of retiring it. Under its charter it is empowered to do this, and the stock so bought may be permanently retired, or held until at a higher price, still left to the discretion of the board. During its last fiscal year the corporation set aside approximately $24,000,000 for depreciation, included in which $15,000,000 was called a "special fund for depreciation and improvements." If only half of the total amount set aside for depreciation were used for the purchase and retirement of common stock, approximately 400,000 shares could be acquired, which would represent a saving in the matter of dividends at the present rate of $1,600,000 a year, or practically as much as was called upon by the board conversion plan. There could be no more economical charge-off than this reduction of capital liability and saving of charges for dividends against the same. The same thing would apply to Crucible Steel common. Last year the Crucible company charged $1,000,000 out of earnings for depreciation, and this was done after renewals, maintenance, etc., had been charged to expense. At going prices that $1,000,000 would retire more than one-fourth of the total outstanding common stock.

MYSTERY OF THE SELLING.

The source of the selling in Wall street remains a mystery, but it was quite commonly attributed to further calling of loans by some of the large capitalists, and the consequent forcing of liquidation. Selling for Boston and for London account were influences on the market.

There was a further hardening of the time money market. Transfers of currency to New Orleans and reports of a new demand from San Francisco had rather an ominous influence on feeling over the money outlook.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The decline in National Fire Proofing stocks to the lowest prices of the year was directly traceable to the troubles in the local building trade, which threaten a stoppage of work on many large structures.

Allegheny Valley railway preferred declined to 27⅛, but later recovered to 28, closing at a net decline for the day of a dollar a share.

The Crucible Steel directors met yesterday and declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock.

The semi-official statement was received from New York that the stockholders of the Westinghouse Electric had taken the full allotment of $4,500,000 new stock offered at 160 per cent, or $80 a share.

Northern Securities made another new low point on the New York curb yesterday, selling at 89 and closing at 88⅝ bid. It is said that a portion of the selling was for foreign account, and rumors are also credited with selling 20,000 shares Baltimore & Ohio and Erie stocks yesterday.

North American Savings was firmer, advancing to 151, and German American Savings & Trust advanced 5½ per cent to 170.

Just before the close 15 shares Colonial Trust sold at 230. There were two transactions in American Trust, but the stock was offered at 320.

Reliance Insurance stock was offered on the local board at 305. There was no bid.

The net earnings of Illinois Central for April increased $150,000.

The quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on Manhattan is payable July 1 to stock of record June 12.

One New York commission house which recently turned to the bull side of the market, yesterday bought 5,000 shares Pennsylvania on the decline.

The tenor of Wall street market letters after the close of the market yesterday indicated a belief that prices would be lower today.

The action of the grain markets yesterday did not reflect any uneasiness regarding the government report, which will be issued at 4 o'clock today.

The Western Union executive committee has recommended the declaration of the usual quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent.

The depreciation in the market value of Baltimore & Ohio for the week ending yesterday approximates $5,400,000—or about the requirement for two years' dividends at the present rate.

It is street gossip that Amalgamated Copper two years ago owed $25,000,000 and today it has $9,000,000 in its treasury. At the annual meeting last week, however, stockholders were denied all information as to the financial condition of the company.

The bears are making the best or the worst of the present situation. It is said that all sorts of rumors were circulated in Wall street on Monday night, and yesterday morning the London Times had an article on the prospects of a revolution in the United States on account of labor troubles. A year ago the bulls had complete control of the money-mad Wall street, but now the public would rather digest bull rumors than bear rumors.

The head of a large Wall street commission house wired this "honest confession" to his Pittsburgh correspondent: "We have been all wrong about this market, and the situation is no clearer now than it has been."

It is said that a large part of the loss in cash shown in Saturday's New York bank statement was due to withdrawals by trust companies.

An officer of one of the latter, which seceded from the clearing house, is quoted as saying: "So far from that trust companies have been withdrawing cash from the banks as a result of the action of the New York Clearing House association, the trust companies will handle more of their own cash than heretofore. Before the new reserve rule of the clearing house was proposed the trust companies carried on an average of $40,000,00 cash on deposit with the banks. In view of the unreasonable attitude of the clearing house, it is only natural that we should not give the banks the advantage of several million dollars interest on our deposits. We are able to take care of our own money and with the new rule will carry a large part of the cash we have heretofore had on deposit with the banks in our own vaults as reserve. The cash we have on hand represents almost equivalent to a reserve of 10 per cent against deposits. The trust companies purpose to carry more reserve than heretofore, but do not intend to have our business directed by the New York Clearing House association."

A New York dispatch stated that the Pennsylvania has an arrangement whereby Baltimore & Ohio stock owned by Marshall Field, N. K. Fiske and Kuhn, Loeb & Co., shall be voted in the interests of Pennsylvania so long as certain conditions exist.

It is figured that before the dividends on Atchison preferred are endangered gross earnings must fall from the present level $20,000 per cent. During the depression following the year 1893, the greatest shrinkage from the high level of 1892 was 20 per cent. Before the year closed on the present basis of 1902, gross earnings must shrink about 12 per cent.

The fact that the underwriting syndicate in Pennsylvania is giving no support whatever to their stock continues to be one of the principal topics of conversation in Wall street. While everyone is reluctant to believe that the syndicate is actually selling Pennsylvania short it is now generally agreed that the members of the syndicate are anxious to have the stock sell below 120. If Pennsylvania was to decline to 120 the stockholders would be reluctant to take the new privilege stock, in which event the syndicate would take the entire issue of $75,000,000 at a price which is perfectly satisfactory to the members. If the syndicate should take the stock it would mean a distribution of 2½ per cent on the $80,000,000 would make the stock stand them 117½. The fact that the underwriting syndicate is anxious to secure all of the new privilege stock is certain enough, of course, that it believes the stock is a golden bargain at such a price. Pennsylvania is now selling lower than it did when it paid 5 per cent dividends.—New York Commercial.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago Stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
24225	A., T. & S. F.	66⅞	68⅛	66¼	65⅝
2070	Do preferred	92⅛	93¼	92⅛	92⅝
	Am. Cotton Oil	34½	34½	34½	34½
	Do preferred				
4500	Am. Sugar Ref.	116¾	118½	116¾	116⅝
	Do preferred	118	118	118	118
1580	Am. Tobacco	95¾	96¾	95¾	95¾
100	Do preferred	90	90	89	89
2500	A. Car Foundry	35½	36	35	35
600	Do preferred	86½	86½	85½	85½
	Am. Steel Foundries				
	Do preferred				
43250	Amal. Copper	59	59¾	58	58⅝
500	Anaconda Copper	35	35	35	35
1530	A. Smelt. & Ref.	63¾	64	63¼	63¼
600	Do preferred	94½	94¾	94	94
	American Ice	8	8¼	8	8
	Do preferred	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
10000	Baltimore & Ohio	84½	84½	81⅜	81⅜
500	Do preferred	91	91	91	91
6565	Brooklyn R. T.	68¾	69¾	67¾	68¼
18700	Canadian Pacific	124½	125¾	118¾	119⅝
1400	Chicago, Gt. W.	23	23¾	22¾	23¼
4240	Chic., Mil. & St. P.	159½	160	156	156
100	C. C., C. & St. L.	85	85	85	85
2300	Chesa. & Ohio	67½	68	67	67
1100	Chicago & Alton	37½	38¼	37½	37¾
500	Do preferred	68	68	68	68
2715	Chicago & N.W.	194½	195½	193½	193½
1000	Col. Fuel & Iron	45	47	45	46⅝
	Corn Products	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
610	Del., Lack. & West.	367	367	363	363
100	Del. & Hud.	165	165	165	165
1000	Del. Ry. & Bdg.	76½	76½	75¾	75¾
	Denver & Rio Grande				
800	Del. & Hudson	168½	169¼	167½	167
32300	Erie	32¾	33¼	30¾	30¾
6900	Do 1st pfd.	65¾	66¼	64¾	64¾
2000	Do 2d pfd.	51¾	51¾	50¾	50¾
1800	General Electric	174	176	174	175
	Hocking Valley				
	Do preferred				
2414	Illinois Central	134	134	132¾	132¾
550	Iowa Central	24½	24½	23½	23½
	Do preferred				65
1010	Internat. Paper	14⅞	14¾	14	14
700	Do preferred	69	69¼	69	69
200	Int. & Great North.				
	Do preferred				
	L. E. & W.				
	Do preferred				103
4700	Louis. & Nash.	130	131	128½	128
755	Manhattan	147½	148	146	146
29200	Missouri Pacific	101¾	103¾	100¾	101¼
5100	M., K. & T., pfd.	45½	50¾	45	45
1800	Metropolitan	125	126½	124	122½
1400	Mexican Central	18⅝	19⅛	18⅝	18⅝
1000	National Lead	18½	18¾	18½	18½
	Do preferred				85½
200	National Biscuit	38	38¼	38	38
	Do preferred	118	118	118	118
4600	N. Y. Central	135	136¼	135	134¾
4505	N. Y., O. & W.	24½	24¾	24	24
7045	Norfolk & West.	40⅞	44¼	40⅝	40½
	Do preferred				90
600	North American	85	87	85¾	85¾
	Omaha				120
11500	Peoples Gas	97¾	97¾	96	96½
200	Pacific Mail	43½	43¾	43	43
200	P. S. Car	43½	43¾	43	43½
540	Do preferred	85	85	85	85
61425	Pressed Steel Car	124	125¾	123¾	125
	P. C. C. & St. L.				99
	Do preferred				99
	Railway Springs				29
	Do preferred				84
24100	Reading	44½	45¾	41⅞	42¼
700	Do 1st pfd.	82	82	81	81
7200	Do 2d pfd.	74	74	72	72
49300	Rock Island	29¾	30¼	29¼	29¼
1000	Do preferred	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
1200	Republic Iron	14	14¾	14	14¼
200	Do preferred	73¾	73¾	73¾	74
500	St. L. & S. F.	79	79	79	79
	Do 1st pfd.				
1800	Do 2d pfd.	62¾	62¾	61¾	61¾
18652	Southern Pacific	48⅜	49¼	48⅛	48⅛
12410	Southern Ry.	31¾	32⅛	31¾	31⅞
1300	Do preferred	87	87¼	86¾	87
14500	St. Paul	144½	145¾	144¾	144¾
	Do preferred				175
300	St. L. & S. W.	26	26	25¾	25¾
	Do 1st pfd.	58¾	59¼	58¾	58¾
	Do 2d pfd.	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
4100	Tenn. C. & I.	50¾	51¾	50¾	50¾
2300	Texas & Pacific	27¾	28¼	27¾	28
200	Toledo, St. L. & W.	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
100	Do preferred	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾
20700	*U. S. Steel	30¼	30¼	29⅝	29⅝
16252	Do preferred	80¾	80¾	80⅛	80⅛
583	Union Pacific	104¾	104¾	103¾	103¾
	Do preferred	87½	87½	87½	87½
110	U. S. Rubber	13¾	13¾	13¾	13
1240	U. S. Leather	8⅞	8⅞	8⅝	8⅝
1500	Do preferred	89	89	87½	87½
	L. Erie & West.	16	16	16	16
	Do preferred	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
2300	Wabash	23¾	24¼	23¾	23¾
8480	Do preferred	42⅝	43¼	42⅝	42⅝
1100	Wheeling & Lake E.	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
470	W. & L. E.	21¾	22¼	21¾	21¾
	Do 1st pfd.	87	87	87	85
	Do 2d pfd.				
150	Wisconsin Cent.	19½	19¾	19	19
1400	Do preferred	49¾	49¾	49	49

INACTIVE LIST.

100	Am. G. & Twine	7	9	7	9

*Ex-dividend.

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg.	107½	Do 1s tar.	25½
Do coupon	107½	Adams & E. 5s	100
C. & O. 5s, reg.	107½	M., S. & T. 4s	95
Do coupon	107½	Do 2d	85
D. & R. G. 4s, reg.	103½	N. Y. C. Gen. 3½	93½
Do coupon	103½	N. Y. C. Gen. 3½	93½
F. C. cfs 4s, reg.	100	North. Pac. 4s	103½
Do coupon	111	Do 3s	73¼
U. S. new 4s, reg.	140	Reading Gen. 4s	97
Do coupon	140	Reading Gen. 4s	97
Atchison Gen. 4s	107¼	R. G. W. 1st 4s	71
Do adj. 4s	86	St. L. & S. F. 6s	120
P. & R. 1st 6s	120	St. L. & S. F. Adj. 4s	89½
Do 2ds	103	Do 2ds	80
*Can. Sou. 2ds	100	Southern Pac. 4s	97
Cent. of Ga. 5s	104½	Southern Ry. 5s	120
Do 1st Inc.	75½	Texas & Pac. 1sts	114
C. & O. 4½s	103½	T., S. L. & W. 4s	77
*C. & A. 4s	76	Union Pacific 4s	103½
C., R. & Q. Coll. 4s	93	U. S. of Mex. 4s	85
*C., M. & St. P. 6s	130	*Wabash 1sts	114
*C. & N. Con. 7s	138½	Do 2ds	104
*C. R. I. & P. 4s	105	Do Deb. 5s	75½
*C. R. I. & P. Col. 5s	110	*West. Md. 4s	103
Chi. Term. 4s	85	Ore. & T. 1st 5s	112
Chi. & South. 4s	88	Wisconsin Cen. 4s	94½
*Erie prior lien 4s	96	Ind. Ill. & Ia. 4s	90
*Gen. conv. 4s	84	Col. Fuel Co. 5s	95
H. & T. C. 1st 5s	107	Rock Island 4s	75½
Hock. Val. 4½s	107½	Penna. Conv. 3½s	95
Iowa Cen. 4s	77	Man. Con. Gold 4s	100½
*Lehigh Nav. 4½s	113		

*Bid. †Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

American Can	7½	Manhat. Transit	23⅝
Do preferred	45	New Am. Gas Co.	107
Amer. Ele. R. R.	¼	North. Securities	88⅞
Bay State Gas	¾	N. Y. Elec. V.	75
Dev. Asbestos Corp.	5½	Otis Elevator	34
Brooklyn Ferry	6	Do preferred	94
Electric Boat Co.	26	Rav. Bak. Y.	100
Electric Vehicle	2	Standard Air Brake	21¾
Do preferred	12	Do preferred	47½
Greene Cons. Copper	29	Standard Oil	684
Havana Tobacco	8½	Tennessee Copper	28½
Do preferred	25	Trenton Copper	70
International Salt	11⅜	White Knob Cop.	12½

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Penna. R. R.	61⅜	Phila. Electric	6
Phila. Traction	97	United Gas Impt.	87
Union Traction	45	Tidewater Steel	¼
Elec. & Pe

BIG SURPRISE IN DIAMOND STREET

Four Properties Sold to Trust Companies for $1,140,000 for Banking House Sites.

JONES AND LAUGHLIN BUY

Secure Three Acres in Twenty-Third Ward—Hotel Boyer Sale Finally Confirmed—Allegheny Acreage Bought for Lots—Other Sales Reported.

The details leaked out yesterday in two real estate deals in Diamond street that amounted to $1,140,000. Both deals have been handled by the Real Estate Trust Company and although it has been known for 10 days that they were "on," nothing definite was learned about either until yesterday, as they have been conducted with the utmost secrecy. Taken together they afford the biggest realty surprise of the year and will have a far-reaching effect upon Diamond street values.

The one deal, which has been closed, is the sale of Nos. 312-316 Diamond street, for $834,000. No. 312 was owned by David P. Black and measures 21x100 feet; Nos. 314 and 316 were purchased from Henry A. Phillips of the Mellon bank and consist of a lot 39x100 feet, with two two-story and one three-story brick buildings. These are all used for saloons, and are worth comparatively little. The properties were bought by ex-Senator William Flinn, and it is supposed the deed was made in the interests of the Colonial Trust Company, whose offices in Fourth avenue abut the properties. Whether the lots bought will be improved with a banking building to correspond with the Colonial, and give that institution a direct Diamond street, is not known, although this is the general supposition.

AGREED TO, BUT NOT SIGNED.

The other deal, amounting to $753,000, is for the Kaufmann holdings, at Nos. 336-344 and the Kaskel Solomon lot, at Nos. 332-334 Diamond street. Contrary to the report published, no articles of agreement have been signed in the deal. The Union Trust Company is the prospective buyer, it having negotiated with the Real Estate Trust Company for the purchase of the property six weeks ago. Although the sale is practically agreed to, certain legal technicalities have yet to be settled before it is closed. The lot at Nos. 336-344 measures 90x120 feet, and is improved with a two-story brick building occupied by Goettmann's restaurant and a billiard room. The other lot measures 30x120 feet and the two-story brick building is occupied by Stakeley's restaurant. The rate of sale is $6,300 a front foot, or $42 50 a square foot, a price way beyond what the most venturesome investor would have prophesied two years ago for Diamond street realty. The Kaufmann property rents for $13,000 a year and the Solomon lot for $5,000. The lease on the former is understood to run for two years and on the latter for about three years, but it is said no difficulty will be met with in dealing with the tenants. Without doubt the Union Trust Company intends to use the site, which is in the rear of their Fourth avenue offices, for a handsome banking house, but it is reported on good authority that nothing will be done toward building for a year.

ANOTHER BIG PLOT SECURED.

The Jones & Laughlin Steel Company has purchased from James and John Wilson three acres at the northwest corner of Hazelwood avenue and Lafayette street, Twenty-third ward, for $50,000. The property extends from Lafayette street to the Pittsburgh & Connellsville railroad, having a frontage of 687 feet in each. The depth in Hazelwood avenue is 650 feet. The property is vacant, except for one or two old brick buildings. This plot adjoins a property lying along the railroad which the company bought recently for $22,000. This is the third large purchase the Jones & Laughlin company has made within 10 days, the other two properties acquired being a plot, 180x600 feet, in Second avenue, above Beaty street, for which it paid the Consolidated Gas Company $50,000, and the Alexander property, 650x188 feet, in Tecumseh street, which was bought for the same amount. None of the properties, it is reported, will be improved this year, but they were bought to give the company more mill and yard room when it is needed.

REALTY DEALING IN COURT.

The sale of the Hotel Boyer, which was made through George Bros. three weeks ago, has been ratified by the orphans' court, the consideration being $175,000, and the buyer Frank McCann. The property measures 188 feet in Seventh street and 110 feet along Duquesne way, making the sale at the rate of $11 for a square foot. When sale was first announced it was the general opinion of real estate brokers that the property was a bargain at the price, and yesterday there were many who expressed the opinion that no better investment can be found in the downtown district, in view of the importance of the corner and the improvements that are soon to be made along the street.

Through Barr Bros & Co. the Duquesne Enterprise Land Company has bought from August Roedel 14 acres fronting in Benton avenue, near Perrysville road, for $18,500. The property lies just outside the Allegheny city limits and will be plotted and put on the market this summer.

Another Tunnel street sale was announced yesterday by H. M. Berman of the Merchants Savings and Trust Company, the amount being $25,000. The property is known as Nos. 41-43 and was bought from S. Saul & Co. It measures 40x80 feet and has on it a three-story brick building.

Two East End deals amounting together to $45,000, have just been closed. Louis J. Weldon of Denver and others have sold to Joseph A. Weldon of this city a large two-story brick house on lot 160x351 feet on the east side of Highland avenue near Columbia street, extending through to Farragut street, Nineteenth ward, for $45,000. The same parties sold to Mary F. Weldon and others an improved property, 50x106 feet, on the southwest side of Hereford avenue, Twentieth ward, for $10,000.

CHOICE LOT BOUGHT FOR GROUNDS.

Thomas street: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for James B. Stevenson to S. Zoch 50x150 feet on the south side of Thomas street, near Dallas avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $5,875 cash. The lot adjoins Mr. Zoch's residence property and was bought for an addition to his grounds.

Hazelwood: Thomas McDunn sold to Dr. B. M. Hirsh two lots, 50x90 feet each, for $3,000. Three of the lots face in Neeb street, two in Nantucket and one in Hoosac street, Twenty-third ward.

Wilkinsburg: Cox & Donald sold for Mrs. Margaret Reed to Mrs. Sarah Berkey No. 813 Hay street, Wilkinsburg, a brick house on lot 20x100 feet, for $4,200.

Westwood: W. H. Heselbarth sold for Frank Resmer to D. S. McCready an eight-room frame house, lot 50x100 feet, in Harvard street, Westwood, for $5,000.

Ingleside: Robert Thompson sold for W. W. Smith to James H. Martin lots Nos. 102-105 at Colonho and Rebecca streets, Ingleside, for $1,800, and to Mrs. Mary J. Burns lot No. 60 in the same plan for $850.

BUILDING ON NORTH SIDE.

Permits were issued yesterday by the Allegheny bureau of building inspection to E. H. Swindell for a three-story brick apartment house in James street, to cost $5,000; to W. W. Wyant, for a two-story brick veneer house in Westminster street, to cost $4,200; to Max Arnold, for a two-story frame stable on the Evergreen road, to cost $1,000; to Mrs. Mary Grossbeck, for a three-story frame dwelling to cost $22,000; and to the Pressed Steel Car Company, for a two-story pattern storage house in Cass avenue, to cost $15,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Duffy Thos A to H E Erwin, May 29, '03, Moon twp, 4 acres ..... $ 3,600
Logan T to I Schlichus, Jan 20, '03, 8 wd, Pgh, 48x126 Hazel at 11,300
Sachachie I to L Cohen, Mch 19, '03, 8 wd, Pgh, 48x126, Hazel at 18,000
Sapowith M to Jno Farrell, May 20, '03, 11 wd, Pgh, 20x90, 5th ave 10,000
Barclay Geo A to A C Thompson, May 27, '03, 22 wd, Pgh, 183x26, Dallas st 13,000
Wilford Geo to W Sharp, June 9, '03, Mifflin twp, 160x100, Frances st..... 2,850
Baumann J to J Seitz, April 23, '03, Etna bor, 20x112, Butler st..... 5,000
Garrison E to P J C Kline, May 7, '00, Wilkinsburg, 41x63, McKee lane..... 8,000
O'Donnell J J to S Flowers, June 4, '03, 2½ wd, Pgh, Schiller st 2,250
Woods C D to Frank McCann, April 20, '03, 4 wd, Ally, 19x48, Sandusky st... 5,600
Adams Hugh to J L Wesser, May 27, '03, 6 wd, Pgh, 19x62, Chelsea st..... 3,000
Bernauer H to Thos Haggerty, June 1, '03, 11 wd, Ally, 22x141, Eckert st..... 2,200
Devenny J C to C H Mance, Nov 17, '02, E Mcke'sport, 5th ave 3,675
Russell J M to N E Young, June 2, '03, 20 wd, Pgh, 45x109 Clyde st..... 24,000
Lane O E to S S Panner, Sept 23, '02, Chartiers twp, 20x120, Joseph st..... 2,100
Rockwell L V to L Hilgenberg, May 20, '03, 21 wd, Pgh, 25x65, Mt Vernon pl
N Pitcairn to Impr Co, June 4, '03, Patton twp, 25x110, North ave 225
McCartney J S to O Swerling, Oct 2, '93, Tarentum, 21x76, S Canal st..... 2,100
Dushane I M to E M F Haring, May 12, '03, Crafton, 60x140, Creighton ave
Howring M to H Howring, June 1, '03, Hampton twp, 21 acres 125
Kennedy T J to B R Brooke, June 2, '03, Jefferson, 1 acre 800
Dushane J N to S F Schultz, May 12, '03, Crafton, 89x157, Creighton ave.. 2,500
Russell J M to N E Young, June 2, '03, 20 wd, Pgh, 45x109, Clyde st..... 24,000
Gr Sav & Imp Ex to Goldstein, May 27, '03, 28 wd, Pgh, 22x70, S 14th st.. 45,000
Barach Z to Anna Solomon, May 28, '03, 11 wd, Pgh, 20x86, Miller st 3,000
Rosenalme M to P Rubin, May 27, '03, 8 wd, Pgh, 21 Centre ave 11,500
Blitinger J H to Anna Caugherty, April 30, '03, Harrison twp, 25x100, Linden st 1,600
Collins S B to T B Bain, July 22, '02, Harrison twp, 40x100 200
McCabe B D to J G Taylor, May 20, '03, Corapolis, 120x125, Chestnut st..
Lotte E M to Albert Ott, Jan 23, '03, Reedsdg, 20x100 300
McMurray J W to Geo Morrow, May 20, '03, Sheraden, 50x100, Second st..
Haller E to M A Stitz, Mch 9, '03, Dellview, 50x100, Piedmont st 8,000
Scanner G A to P Boerner, May 23, '03, Mt Oliver, 50x200, Penn ave..... 1,550
Eichenmiller F to J Eichenmiller, May 16, '03, L St, Moon twp, 25x85, Ponta ave.
Soles G W to J F McCune, May 18, '03, Swissvale, 50x125, Duquesne ave
Kline W J K to H McNeily, Feb 28, '03, W Versailles, 60x115, Penn ave 475
Evans C to J C White, May 1, '03, 4 wd, McKeesport, 4 lots 6,000
Knoen Henry to J Mamajek, May 18, '03, 23 wd, Pgh, 20x70, Wylie av 1,550
Dressel C to Henry Held, May 9, '03, 23 wd, Pgh, 24x120, Sidney st..... 2,500
Smith Joseph to Wm Smith, May 30, '03, East Deer, 70 acres, Prosperity 2,500
Walters Jacob to J A Walter, May 27, '03, Swissvale, 25x115, Woodstock ave
Campbell E F to W F Brooks, Mch 25, '03, Pitcairn, 48 ft, Thos Ave.
Nicola F F to J Chadwick, May 28, '03, 23 wd, Pgh, 30x85, Lydia st..... 2,900
Wallace K W to J M Rogers, Sept 25, '97, Moon twp, 36 perches 150
Vondera C H to M A Owens, June 1, '03, Mifflin twp, 30x110, Clinton st..... 380
Wehgs C T to Wm Mehlig, May 28, '03, 20 wd, Pgh, 25x100, Spahr st..... 2,062
Deens C H A to J G Williams, May 15, '03, 23 wd, Pgh, 65x215, Second ave..
Blair Thos S, Trustee, to Margaret, April 28, '03, 23 wd, Pgh, 47x88, Sunnyside st..... 1,900
Homestead Realty Co to H Farrel, April 12, '03, Munhall, 25x150, Mar. tha st 800
Selbel A to Harry Seibel, Oct 8, '02, Scott twp, 50x150, Mill st 2,400
Morrison D to E Veway, May 20, '03, Versailles, 265x125, Pew Rd..... 1,000
Thomas Louis to M McCartney, May 6, '03, Robinson twp, 5 acres 600
Swan Janet to D M Alston, June 1, '03, Ross twp, 1½ acres 200
Llewellyn Geo to M McCartney, May 6, '03, Robinson twp, 5 acres 600
Hubbard Geo to E E Wenker, May 25, '03, 19 wd, Pgh, 37x130, Farragut st
Kerr Alex to Wm Hamilton, May 14, '03, 12 wd, Ally, 30x82, Spring ave.. 1,150

FEAR OF CROP REPORT MADE THE GRAINS WEAK

Cereals, However, Gained Some Strength Toward the Close of the Day's Trading.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, June 9.—Business in the grain and provision pits was rather quiet today, but closing prices were firm, July wheat being up ½c, July corn ½c higher and oats also up ½c, while September provisions were from 5@7½c higher.

There was quite general commission house selling of wheat at the opening, due to the improvement in the weather conditions and initial sales on July were unchanged to ½c lower at 75¾@75¾c. There was little feature in the early trading, liquidation by longs and selling for short account being the most noticeable. The general fear was that the government report would show more favorable conditions than expected and this caused much of the selling. A better feeling was displayed the last half of the session, and the commission houses bought quite freely, while there was also covering by shorts, which advanced prices. The top was firm, with July ½c higher at 75¾c, the top figure of the day. Primary receipts were 261,000 bushels, against 263,800 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 208 cars, which, with local receipts of 46 cars, two of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points of 304 cars, against 878 cars last week and 941 cars a year ago.

Generally favorable weather conditions brought out a considerable selling pressure in corn at the start, the opening prices being easier. Country receipts were better than expected and this, together with lower cables, was partly responsible for the early depression. There was a fair demand from commission houses throughout the day, which prevented any serious decline, and late in the session on an advance following the market became quite active. July closed ½c higher at 48¾c. Local receipts were 447 cars, with 12 of contract grade.

Oats were influenced some by the favorable weather, but the important factor was the selling of a good sized line of September by a prominent holder. While the feeling in general was quite bullish, traders were indisposed to do much trading ahead of the government report, and the report, closing ½c net higher. July sold at 33¼c, closed 33¼c; September, 28¾@28¾c, closed 28¾c. Receipts, 140,000 bu; exports, 202,486 bu; spot easy; No. 2, 32c; elevator and 34½c afloat; No. 2 yellow, 37c; elevator; No. 2 white, 36½c. Options market was easier at first on cables, and fine weather, but later rallied on the bullish weekly government report and closed net unchanged. July, 35½@36¼c, closed 36¼c; September, 33¾@33¾c, closed 33¾c. Oats—Receipts, 129,200 bu; exports, 50 bu; spot easy; No. 2, 40c; standard white, 43c; No. 3, 39½c; No. 2 white, 42½c; No. 3 white, 42¾c; track white, 40@46c. Options quiet and barely steady.

DULUTH, MINN., June 9.—Wheat to arrive, No. 1 hard, 80¾c; No. 1 northern, 79¾c; No. 2 northern, 78¼c; July, 79¾c; September, 72¾@72¾c.

MILWAUKEE, June 9.—Wheat firm; No. 1 northern, 84½@85c; No. 2 northern, 83@84c; July, 75½@76c bid. Rye steady; No. 1, 58½c; No. 2, 57c; sample, 40@53c. Corn, July, 48¾c.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 9.—Wheat, cash, 79¾c; July, 78¾@78¾c; September, 71¾c. On track, No. 1 hard, 82¾c; No. 1 northern, 79¾c; No. 2 northern, 78¼c; No. 3 northern, 76¼@77½c.

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—Wheat strong; July, 77¾c; September, 72¾@72½c; No. 2 hard, 78@79c. Corn, July, 47¼@47½c; September, 46c. Oats—July, 36c; September, 32½c; No. 2 white, 35c.

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 78@79c; No. 3, 74@77c; No. 2 red, 75@76c; No. 2 corn, 48¼c; No. 2 yellow, 48¾c; No. 2 oats, 36½c; No. 3 white, 36@36¾c; No. 2 rye, 61½c; good to choice barley, 46@54c; fair to choice malting, 50@55c; No. 1 flax seed, $1 10½; No. 1 northwestern, $1 12@1 14; prime timothy seed, $3 75; mess pork, per bbl, $15 50@15 75. Lard, per 100 lbs, $8 17½. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 62½@8 75; boxed extra short clear, $8 75@8 87½; hams, $12 50@13 50; pickled shoulders, $7 50@7 62½; pickled hams, $10 50@10 75. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1 30; clover, contract grade, $11 50@11 75.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	15,000	5,500
Wheat, bushels	83,700	15,500
Corn, bushels	512,500	300,000
Oats, bushels	393,000	201,200
Rye, bushels	2,000	
Barley, bushels	82,500	2,600

NEW YORK, June 9.—Flour—Receipts, 48,005 bbls; exports, 5,543 bbls; firm and fairly active. Rye flour steady. Cornmeal firm. Grain—Rye steady; state, 56½@58c c i f New York. Barley nominally steady; feeding, 46c c i f Buffalo; malting, 51½@58c c i f Buffalo. Wheat—Receipts, 59,025 bu; exports, 28,978 bu; spot steady; No. 2 red, 84c elevator; No. 2 red, 85c f o b afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 89¼c f o b afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 89¼c f o b afloat. Options were quiet and without much change today, being affected by the approaching crop report. Weather news was favorable, clearances small and exporters indifferent. In the early trading, liquidation by longs and selling for short account being the most noticeable, but a couple of state reports were bullish and the late market turned firm, closing ½c net higher. July sold at 76½@76¾c, closed 76¾c; September, 77@77½c, closed 77¾c. Corn—Receipts, 140,000 bu; exports, 202,486 bu; spot easy; No. 2, 57c elevator and 59½c afloat; No. 2 yellow, 57c; No. 2 white, 56½c. Options market was easier at first on cables, and fine weather, but later rallied on the bullish weekly government report and closed net unchanged. July, 55½@56¼c, closed 56¼c; September, 53¾@53 15-16c, closed 53

ANGLO-SAXONS MUST THROTTLE THE BARBARITIES OF RUSSIANS

International Conference Necessary to End Massacre of the Jews.

THE FINANCIERS COULD HELP

Wealthy Hebrews of Europe Can Bring the Czar to Terms by Withdrawing Monetary Patronage or Stopping Loans.

(Special Correspondence to the Gazette.)

LONDON, June 2.—The massacre of the Jews at Kishenef is a matter upon which Europe and the United States should have something to say. It is not the first or the second or the third time in the decade that Russia has disfigured civilization by barbarian brutality to the Russian Jews. The Jewish question is a living force in the minds of men. It has entered the arena of national politics, never to quit until the suffering Jews are freed or secured by public rights in the possession of a home.

It is time that something was done. In 1891 and 1892 I was in Russia, acting on behalf of the late Baron de Hirsch. The Russian minister, with whom the negotiations were mainly conducted, was M. von Plehve, who is now minister of the interior. At that time the enforcement of the May laws produced an explosion of humanitarian feeling the world over. There was a mass meeting in the Guild hall, London, and an appeal to the czar was unanimously agreed on. The Guild hall resolution was transmitted by the lord mayor to the Emperor Alexander III. It was rudely returned without comment to the British foreign office by the Russian ambassador in London.

Apparently the snub administered to English humanitarianism has prevented the corporation of London from taking any action on the recent outrage. The present lord mayor is himself a distinguished and most able member of the Jewish community. Possibly he feels that it would be unwise to take public action. Other leading men are thinking of something else; the consequence is British opinion is not being brought to bear upon the Russian government.

BARBARITIES WERE ADMITTED.

After Baron de Hirsch's death I continued inquiries on my own account as to the treatment of Jews by Russians. In the course of my inquiries I met with fourteen instances of barbarous ill treatment of the Jews in Russia. In two cases, that of Schpola and that of Kantacouzene, in the government of Kherson, the evidence was examined and corroborated by separate and secret inquiries undertaken and carried out at the instance of one whose name commands universal respect, but which I have no authority to divulge. In order to obtain the necessary interviews with Russian ministers I sought from Lord Salisbury the assistance which, through Sir Nicholas O'Connor, then British ambassador to Russia, was generously given at a time when his excellency had other calls upon his attention.

The then minister of the interior, M. Goremykine, received me in St. Petersburg in 1897 very kindly. I was provided with full evidence of barbarities, which were well founded, unanswerable and moderately expressed. During the interview with the minister he listened to me patiently, and he admitted that my statement of facts was correct. His only excuse was that it was impossible to garrison every rural district with troops. He said that "when soldiers were required for the restoration of order in the quarrels between the Jews and the peasantry they have to be obtained from the great towns. Railway communication is not universal, and hence regrettable delay arises in the establishment of order."

AN INTERNATIONAL QUESTION.

The plain English of M. Goremykine's excuses is this: The Russian government contemplates the persecution and murder of the Russian Jews with equanimity. Repeated and atrocious massacres of the Jews are as much under the control of the Russian government as massacres in India are under the control of Lord Curzon. Under these circumstances, what is to be done? No nation likes to bell the cat. Emotional sympathy is futile. But it must be evident to any one who has studied the subject that the Russian treatment of the Russian Jews cannot be allowed to continue in the interests of civilization.

The late Baron de Hirsch had an idea which 10 years ago was laughed at in society, but which, I hold, contained the germ of the true remedy. The proposal, which he often discussed with me, was an international conference on the Jewish question, convoked for the purpose of focussing European and American opinion. Such a conference would reveal the enormous difficulties of the situation. It would also demonstrate the impossibility of leaving it alone. Napoleon, with the prophetic insight of supreme genius, perceived in the zenith of his fame that the settlement of the Jewish question was only second in importance to the prosperity of the French empire. On February 9, 1807, Napoleon convened a Jewish sanhedrin. Since Bismarck lit the anti-Semitic fire, the question of the Jews has become the burning question of the day.

WEALTHY JEWS HAVE THE REMEDY.

If England and the United States were to take the lead in issuing an invitation to the great powers to send representatives to a conference, the path would lie open to an understanding with Russia on the subject of her treatment of Jewish subjects. Such a conference would pour a fierce light on the strength and resources of the Jewish community. It would give to them and to the world an adequate sense of their irresistible power, if they only choose to exert it on behalf of their persecuted brothers. What could Russia do if the great Hebrew financiers of Europe were to stop her credit? Baron de Hirsch was in the habit of inveighing in no moderate terms against the loans to Russia, which could have been stopped by unanimous action on the part of the Jewish bankers of Europe.

Unless the spectre of Russian and German anti-Semitism be laid by international agreement, worse tragedies than those of Kishineff will yet shock the conscience of the world. Among the densely packed multitudes of south and western Russia I have found refinement and nobility of character. The prosperity that coarsens, it is not theirs. The sorrows, privations and persecution of Israel are indomitable. Prosperous western Europe is ignorant of them.

What is required is the firm touch of practical statesmen and resolute helpful action on the part of England and America. For that purpose a conference on the Jewish question is necessary. It would then be found that the best friends of the Jews in this country at all events, are not necessarily numbered among those who flatter the richest israelites.

ARNOLD WHITE.

LADY SOMERSET PREDICTS VICTORY FOR TEMPERANCE

World's Convention of W. C. T. U. Hears the Presidential Address.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, June 3.—At today's session of the convention of the World's Women's Christian Temperance union the presiding officer, Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens of Portland, Me., read Lady Henry Somerset's presidential address, in which the absent president predicted that the eventual outcome of the union's fight would be a complete victory over the liquor traffic.

The address also referred to Great Britain's unenviable reputation for sobriety, and said governments were alive to the danger and referred to the fact that Russia, France and Sweden were strenuously fighting the evil.

Lady Somerset also mentioned the "magnificent efforts of the United States, more powerful in its youth, to overcome the custom inherited into old countries enfeebled by time," and concluded with an appeal for the exaltation of the home, asserting that the work of the World's Women's Christian Temperance union could best be summed up in the words of its great founder, the late Miss Frances Willard, "To make the world wider for women and more homelike for humanity."

The report of the Loyal Legion showed the membership of that organization to amount to 300,000 young abstainers. The next convention will probably be held in Boston.

BRIEF NEWS BY CABLE.

VLADIVOSTOCK—The Russian war minister, Gen. Kuropatkin, sailed for Japan.

GIBRALTAR—A boiler explosion occurred on board the British armored cruiser Good Hope. An officer and six men were seriously injured.

ST. PETERSBURG—Arseniefl, the new prefect of police of Odessa, in receiving a deputation of rabbis recently, assured them that the Jews of Odessa could pursue their avocations without fearing anti-Semite outbreaks, as the authorities would stringently suppress any such movement at its outset.

PARIS—Finance Minister Rouvier informed a deputation representing the coffee interests that budget considerations compelled an increase in the duty on coffee by 34 per 100 kilos. He added that the Franco-Brazilian treaty would be denounced before June 30 in order that a new tariff may be put in force before the end of the year.

Grand Jury Returns.

The grand jury yesterday returned a true bill against Walter Furgeson charging him with a misdemeanor in setting fire to the store building of Maurice Krieger, Fifth avenue, on May 25 last. Other true bills were:

Felony, Harry Anderson, burglary; Thomas Black; robbery; Walter Freeman; receiving stolen goods. Thomas Blair; conspiracy; C. W. Bolen, et al; false pretense; C. W. Bolen, et al; Charles Gorman (2); larceny; Dolfe Chirm, Frank Gornetzski (2). Frank Lloyd; embezzlement; John Creese; assault and battery. I. W. Duncan, Louis J. Geltzheiser, Mary Murray, John McKay, William Vulkic; misdemeanor, Henry Erdman, Walter Ferguson, Charles Lomask; escape, George Gibson et al; assault and battery, etc., John Jones; pointing firearms, John Keefe; misdemeanor, conspiracy, L. C. Rockefeller, G. C. Smith; trespass, Richard Rostron; larceny by bailee, Samuel Silverman; entering a building, etc., John Treverdel; illegal sale of liquor, John Yovcan; bigamy, Charles Ward; perjury, Charles Ward.

Ignored bills—Assault and battery, Mike Balaslow; larceny, Ellen Davis, George Herman, et al, Frank Nowizki, Joseph Siroskey; robbery, Hazel Halko, Frank Andrasko.

M'TIGHE REVOKES PEASEY'S LICENSE

William Richardson, Well-Known Character, Sent to Workhouse for Four Months.

EXCITING SCENE IN COURT

Prisoner Attempts to Assault the Police Superintendent—Uses Abusive Language and Is Quickly and Heavily Punished—Cleaning Up Lower Wards.

William Richardson, alias "Peasey" Richardson, attempted to assault Superintendent of Police John P. McTighe yesterday morning at the central police station. Richardson struck at the police official when the latter was testifying against him, and called Supt. McTighe vile names. He was fined $100 and costs and in default was committed to the workhouse for four months. Richardson was immediately handcuffed between two negro prisoners and taken to the workhouse. His attorneys, John Marron and L. B. Cook, will go into court this morning and ask for a writ of habeas corpus to secure the release of their client, on the ground that the sentence is excessive.

The trouble was the outcome of orders issued by Supt. McTighe last week. His officers were told to bring in men who had no visible means of support. Richardson was the reputed keeper of the "Arcade" in Diamond street, which was a well-known speakeasy, under the old administration. He was a political worker in the Third ward. Richardson was among the men who loafed in Diamond street and was taken to the central police station, and the next morning was fined $10 and costs.

Richardson was enraged by his arrest, Monday night. Supt. McTighe and Detective Kane of Chicago were walking in Market street and Richardson accosted McTighe and asked him why he ordered his arrest.

"I have revoked the license of you thugs and thieves," replied McTighe. Richardson then cursed McTighe. The official paid no attention to Richardson and walked away, but when he reached central police station he sent Inspector Bernard McStay and Officer Edward Ross out to arrest Richardson. He was committed on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Yesterday morning he was arraigned for a hearing. Director Harry Moore, of the department of public safety and Alderman S. J. Toole were present.

While Supt. McTighe was testifying Richardson made an attempt to strike him, but was quickly overpowered by five policemen and dragged into the cell department. The outbreak created disorder and excitement in the court room.

Director Moore said that Richardson and all men like him were a menace to the city and Supt. McTighe would have to drive them from the limits.

To Protest Against Sabbath Violations.

A mass meeting of Homestead citizens has been called for Sunday to protest against the violation of the Sunday laws in that vicinity. A special effort is to be made to suppress Sunday ball playing. The meeting is to be held in the Fourth Avenue Methodist Episcopal church.

Announcement.

The "Bartlett" Furnace and Range Company is now located at No. 715 Liberty street, head of Wood street (both 'phones), under the management of Mr. J. C. Bartlett, who desires to inform his friends and patrons of the removal and trusts the same generous patronage will continue at the new location that has been extended for the past 22 years. A complete line of the "Bartlett" furnaces and ranges, for coal or gas; Blue Flame Wickless oil stoves, Gasoline stoves and ovens. Refrigerators and house furnishings are now in stock. On application we would be pleased to submit estimate for a furnace or range, or repair your present ones.

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HOTEL DUQUESNE SALE IN COURT

D. F. Henry Relates at the Hearing How He Got His Option.

COMMISSION TO BE $10,000

Fart Taken by Agents for the Union Realty Company is Explained—Ex-Governor Stone Appeared as Counsel. Mellons Thought Price High.

The litigation over the sale of the Hotel Duquesne property to D. F. Henry, for $80,000, came up for a hearing yesterday in common pleas court No. 2, before Judge J. D. Shafer, upon the matter of a continuance of the injunctions issued when the bills were filed. These injunctions, applied for by Mrs. D. F. Henry, restrained Mrs. Sarah L. Black, the owner of the property, from selling it to any one especially the Mellons, and restrained the Union Realty Company from disposing of an option until a final decree of court.

Ex-Governor W. A. Stone, Attorney H. E. Lineawearer and Attorney Homer L. Castle represented Mr. Henry and his wife. This was the first appearance of Mr. Stone as counsel in any case since occupying the position of governor. The defense was represented by Attorney Henry E. Davis and Attorney J. H. Beal.

Mr. Henry testified he had not thought of purchasing the property until it was mentioned to him by J. K. Ewing of the Union Realty Company, when the terms, namely $80,000, of which $25,000 was to be cash, were given to him. Mr. Henry said he at once made up his mind to take the property, although he told Mr. Ewing to return later. Mr. Henry said he tendered a check to the Union Realty Company for $25,000, but it was returned when the announcement was made that Mrs. Black would not sign the agreement of sale.

Mr. Lineawearer, who acted for Mr. Henry in the matter, said that in behalf of his client he made an effort to obtain a consummation of the sale, and at one time during the period the negotiations were on, he offered a bonus of $150,000 instead of $25,000. The witness acknowledged that Mrs. Black had said that she instructed R. J. Coyle of the Union Realty Company to sell it to no one except the Mellons. He said further that he asked Coyle about the matter, but that he "hemmed and hawed" about it, and that when Ewing was approached on this subject he said that was the first he had heard of the matter. Mr. Lineawearer also said that Mr. Coyle had told him that he had made an effort to sell the property to others, among them H. C. Frick, Frank McCann and Harry Davis.

At this point Mr. Henry was recalled. He said that owing to the proximity of the Hotel Duquesne property to that of the Hotel Henry, it would enhance the value of the latter, he considered, to a sum equal to that which he proposed to pay, owing to the fact that it would give the property frontage on two streets.

R. J. Coyle of the Union Realty Company, was called for the defense, after the court had read the deposition of Mrs. Black. Mr. Coyle said he had been employed by the Mellons to obtain options on several sites, among them the Hotel Duquesne. He told of frequent calls made on Mrs. Black, and how, finally, she gave him an option when he told her that the prospective purchasers were the Mellons. The terms of the option, aside from the consideration mentioned, were that the Union Realty Company was to get $10,000 commission. The witness said he returned to the Mellons with the proposition, but they considered the purchase price too high and in the meantime Mr. Ewing had seen Mr. Henry. Mr. Coyle also said that it made no difference to him, personally, who gets the property, and that in his opinion, it is worth $80,000.

After other witnesses had been heard the court continued the injunction until a decision is made within the next few days.

Judge Marshall Brown, in criminal court, disposed of several cases brought before him under the juvenile act. Miss Alice B. Montgomery, a probation officer, appeared with a number of urchins under her care. George Horner and Harry Churchfield, boys from McKeesport, pleaded guilty to the larceny of $127 from John W. Taylor of that place. The information mentioned the fact that the boys had confessed to 13 other robberies. The court placed both boys in the care of Miss Montgomery, Horner to be placed in the Boys' Industrial school at Oakdale, and Churchfield with the Children's Aid society of Western Pennsylvania.

William Evans, another boy charged with larceny, was given into the care of Clerk of Criminal Court Lawrence Fagan, to be placed in St. Joseph's Protectorate and Industrial School for Homeless Boys in Vine street. The same disposition was made of John Evans, a dependant child, whose mother is dead.

On the petition of Ellen McNamara, stating her 10-year-old daughter, Minnie, was incorrigible, the latter was sent to Morganza.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

James A. McIntyre was awarded $5,000 damages against the Pittsburgh Steel Foundry Company. While in the employ of the company one of his legs was taken off.

James Bros.' nursery, in Wilkins township, was sold yesterday at public sale on a judgment for $600 held by H. C. Jones. The members of the firm left the place a week ago, and creditors, said to be holding about $6,000 additional judgments cannot locate them.

Ten executions for $1,653 75 each, were issued by the Real Estate Trust Company of Washington, Pa., against H. E. Nichols. Other executions issued were: A. M. Brown against A. A. Schwankel, $2,085 35; Alfred L. Watkins against Nicola Stefano, $453 50; John C. Devenney et al., against A. O. Gangowere, $2,884 87.

Arguments were heard in the United States circuit court by Judge Joseph Buffington in the case of the National Tube Company, Spang, Chalfant & Co., an action charging infringement of a patented device for pulling muck bars through heated furnaces. An injunction and the appointment of a commissioner to assess damages are asked.

Michael Jarrett filed a bill in equity against the Mercantile Trust Company and Mary Jarrett, administratrix of the estate of W. N. Jarrett. The court was asked to declare null and void a paper by which Michael Jarrett made W. N. Jarrett his trustee of certain inheritances from an uncle's estate. The complainant says he was induced to sign the paper by his brother, in whom he had great confidence, but was ignorant of its true import until his brother's death.

Frank Fuehr and Mrs. Louisa Miller filed a bill in equity against their father, Frederick C. Fuehr, their brother, Arthur Fuehr, and their sister, Lillian Fuehr. The plaintiffs claim they deeded property in the Nineteenth ward to their father to be sold and divided among the heirs of their mother, but that their parent executed a mortgage and never placed the deed on record. No sale was made. The father is 70 years old, and it is feared he may die in the near future or encumber the property, and the court is asked to grant relief.

Dedication of the Huss Monument.

Members of the Presbyterian church of East McKeesport, of which the late Rev. Charles F. Huss was pastor for about 18 months, and friends of his at Waynesburg and McKeesport who have contributed to the erection of a handsome granite monument to his memory, will dedicate it July 4 in Green Mount cemetery, Waynesburg.

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In solid ash, 49x32x34 inches; 108 pounds of ice.
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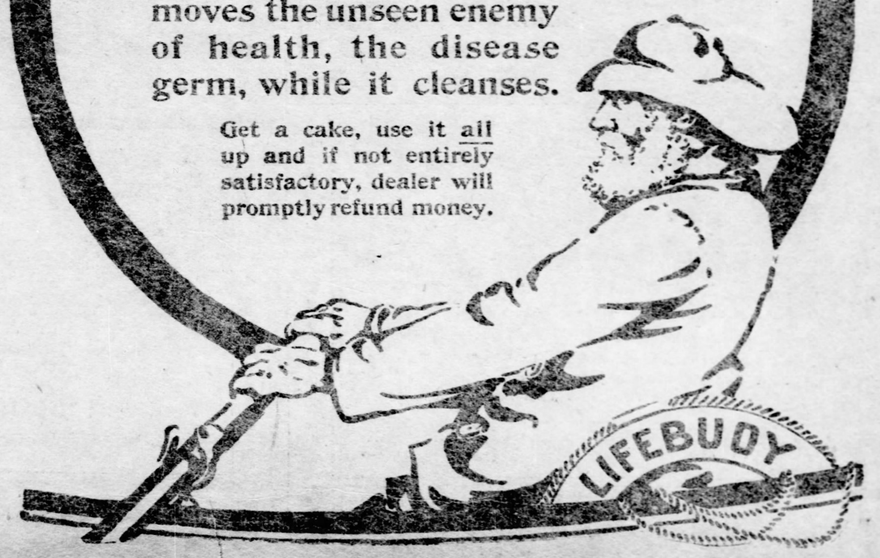

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